

NIGHT EDITION

WILLARD L. METCALF

Lowell Man Wins Honors at
Academy of Fine Arts

His Work Recognized as Was
Whistler's—He Studied Under
Lefebvre and Boulanger in
Paris—His "Arab Market" Pic-
ture Was a Great Success

Willard Leroy Metcalf, a Lowell boy, has been awarded the gold medal of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, one of the most coveted honors among artists and sculptors. It is awarded by the directors for high achievement by American painters and sculptors who are exhibitors at the academy. Others to receive the medal were Edwin A. Abbey, James A. McNeill Whistler and John S. Sargent.

Willard Leroy Metcalf was born in this city, July 1, 1865. He is the son of Greenleaf Willard and Margaret Jane Gallop Metcalf.

Before he was 15 years of age he began to paint pictures which were good enough to merit encouragement, and when he was eighteen, to occasion his being accepted as a pupil by George L. Brown, a famous landscape painter of Boston.

He also entered the art class of the Lowell Institute, making rapid progress in his work until failing health sent him west in 1881 for change of air and scene. There he traveled about for two years, being fortunate enough to have Frank Cushing for a companion and gaining much from the latter's profound knowledge of the Indians. He made many Indian studies himself, which were more than usually good.

In 1883 he went to Europe, and for six years studied under Lefebvre and Boulanger in Paris, taking occasional trips in search of material for pictures. His most successful picture of this period was the "Arab Market," a canvas eight feet long representing a market scene in Tunis.

This received an honorable mention at the Paris Salon of 1889. Not long afterward he returned to America and opened a studio in New York city, also taking charge of the antique and life classes at the Woman's Art school, Cooper's union.

Mr. Metcalf has given great enthusiasm to his work as a teacher and hundreds of young women have received their art education under his care. During recent years the greater number of his paintings have been portraits, and he has gained a substantial reputation in this field of work for his fine technique and color values. His directness of execution in getting an effect at once without apparent effort, is characteristic, both of his paintings and his illustrations. He is widely known as one of the most able American illustrators, having drawn for the leading periodicals for some years, besides illustrating a number of books, his work on Stevenson's "Wrecker," and a new edition of Aldrich's poems being especially notable.

He is a member of the Ten American Painters, the group of younger men who have broken away from the more academic art associations, going to nature for their inspirations and interpreting their impressions of her without convention or the restraint of tradition.

COL. ROOSEVELT'S TRIP

NEW YORK, March 8.—Colonel Roosevelt started today on his six weeks' swing across the country to the Pacific coast and back again. It is the first trip the colonel has made since the recent campaign.

"I have nothing to say about anything," said the colonel as he boarded his train on the Pennsylvania railroad, which left for the south. The colonel's first stop will be at Atlanta tomorrow. Colonel Roosevelt said he had not heard of the mobilization of the United States troops and the navy near Mexico until this morning's paper was shown him. It was remarked that he appeared to be flustered that way, but the colonel only smiled and declined to express any opinion.

MRS. OLE BULL'S WILL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 8.—The hearing on the petition of the executors of the will of Mrs. Ole Bull, widow of the famous violinist, regarding the appointment of her daughter, Mrs. Olea Bull Vaughan, as custodian of the Rhode Island property, was continued today until Friday by agreement of counsel for both sides. Mrs. Vaughan was appointed without the knowledge of the executors, Parker & Thorpe, of Boston, who are contesting it. About \$425,000 is involved.

CRIMINAL COURT

Will Hold Session in
Lowell Next Week

The grand jury will make its report on Lowell cases in this city on Friday and the March session of the superior criminal court will begin on Monday, in this city. As there are only seven cases besides the appealed cases it is not likely that the court will sit here longer than a few days.

BELTRAN CHOSEN

As Provisional Presi-
dent of Honduras

PUERTO CORTEZ, Honduras, March 3.—Dr. Francisco Beltran, who was agreed on last week by the peace conferees as provisional president of Honduras, was elected yesterday by congress as premier designate, or first vice president of the republic. This is a full acceptance by the congress of the conditions of the peace agreement.

Old Colds

Do not know what to take?
Then why not find out?
Your doctor knows. Leave
it all to him. If he says,
"Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,"
then take it. If he says some-
thing else, take that.

REMOVAL NOTICE
JOHN W. McEVROY
COUNSELLOR AT LAW
Is now located in most central and
convenient offices in the
HOWE BUILDING, MERRIMACK ST.
Rooms A and B, First Floor, Over
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lited. Tel. 915.

SAILORS IN PERIL

Vessel Aground Lashed by a
42 Mile Gale

NORFOLK, Va., March 8.—With their vessel hard aground, lashed by a 42-mile gale and swept constantly by furious seas which continue to drive her farther on the shore, 35 men on the British steamer Manchuria today are in imminent peril.

The Manchuria, bound from New Orleans to Tampico, Mexico, with a cargo of coal, went aground yesterday during thick weather. Life savers from the Little island and Falls Cape stations spent the night on the beach and today are on shore, awaiting an opportunity to shoot a breeches buoy over the vessel. The wrecking steamer Rescue is standing by to effect a rescue of the men and begin salvage operations when the weather permits. The revenue cutters Onondaga and Seminole are on their way to render any assistance possible.

Captain Traylor and his men refused yesterday to leave their stranded vessel, hoping the ship would be floated. Today they have been signalling frantically to be taken from their dangerous position. The ship began to leak during the night and today is full of water.

ARMY MOVEMENT

May Have Bearing on Future
Events in MexicoMexican Ambassador Says There
Will be No Intervention—Great
Army Ready to Start the
Moment Word is Received—
Change in Cabinet of Pres. Diaz
is Likely

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Though the concentration of a fourth of the standing army of the United States along the Mexican border and a movement of a portion of the navy southward along both coasts merely is an extensive maneuver, many persons here familiar with political conditions in Mexico regard the action of the United States at this time as likely to have an important bearing on future events in Mexico.

Persistent reports have reached this city that a change in the cabinet of President Diaz soon will be made and the state department also has been so informed unofficially. In these changes the American government is keenly interested. Apart from any normal effect on the treatment accorded American interests in the present disorders, it is suggested that the military demonstration of the United States, whether so intended or not, may have a potential influence on the political crisis in Mexico City.

JOHN F. TOBIN

Wants the Arbitration
Board Reorganized

BOSTON, March 8.—Two members of the state board of arbitration were declared today to be unfit for service by John F. Tobin, president of the boot and shoeworkers union, at a hearing before the legislative committee on labor. Mr. Tobin declared that nearly 80 per cent of the cases before the board concerned shoe workers, who had found that arbitration was the best method of settling difficulties.

Lately the cases had declined in number, he said, "because the workers believe that two members of the board are physically and mentally unfit to consider them and render a decision."

He asked that the board be reorganized and younger men put on it.

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WHITE STAR LINE

For rates, sailings or whatever in-
formation desired, call on the local
agents,
J. F. O'Donnell & Sons
324 Market st., cor. of Worthen
Representatives of the leading
European steamship lines. Now is
the time to send for your relatives or
friends across the water. Lowest
rates.

THE EMPRESS

TO ASSIST IN NURSING PRINCE
ADELBERT

KIEL, Germany, March 8.—Empress Augusta Victoria arrived here today to assist in nursing Prince Adalbert, who is ill with what is described as a mild attack of appendicitis.

This evening Dr. Knoke, the naval staff surgeon who is in charge of the case, said that the prince's illness was progressing normally. The empress, accompanied by Dr. Zunker, remained at the bedside for several hours today.

Don't Let
Grass Grow

Under your feet in the middle of the road nor in your coke or coal bin. Are you scraping in the dust and dirt for pieces of fuel? Is all gone or nearly so? Well there's a reason. It has been a long winter and though we hate to say it—there's more to come. As the winter lengthens out we must extend the fuel supply. One more load before real spring. Keep warm, keep strong, keep well. Coke is cheaper than any medicine heat one buys by the bottle.

LOWELL GAS LIGHT CO.

AN OLD RESIDENT
PLEADED NOT GUILTY

Charles Wheeler Passed
Away Today

Charles Wheeler, an old and highly respected resident of this city, passed away this morning at his home, 437 Westford street. The deceased counted a large number of friends who will be pained to learn of his death.

Charles Wheeler was 70 years, 5 months and 23 days old. He was in the monument business for a number of years in Thordike street, where the American Express office now stands, and later at 341 of the same street. The deceased is survived by a wife and a daughter, Miss Jennie E. Wheeler.

The funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at 437 Westford street, and burial will take place in Pelham, N. H.

Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Wheeler, the general services and burial will be strictly private. Friends will kindly omit flowers. Undertaker George W. Healey will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

There was very little doing in police court this morning, the most important case being that of George Lacourses, who was charged with failing to maintain a sign of common victualler on the outside of his place of business at 435 Market street. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty.

Officer Frank Fox testified that he visited Lacourses' place of business on the 3d, 14th 5th and 6th of March, and each time he failed to see a proper sign on the outside of the building. On every visit the officer notified the proprietor of the place to put up a sign as required by law. The officer visited the place again yesterday afternoon and saw a common victualler's sign hanging over the door.

The defendant said that he did not understand the law, and that is the reason why he did not put up the required sign sooner.

The court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of \$25, which is the minimum in this case. But after being informed that the defendant is to appear before the board of police on Friday evening to answer a charge of allowing gambling to be carried on in his place of business, the court withdrew the sentence and continued the case till Saturday morning. Lacourses being held on his personal bonds in the sum of \$100.

LOWELL YOUTH
Seeks Brother and
Sister in Lawrence

An illustration was given in the Lawrence police court yesterday of how the state takes children from families, farms them out, and then finally the children are separated.

Edward McAndrews, a youth, was charged with vagrancy as he applied at the police station Monday night for a lodging, having nowhere to go. He had gone to Lawrence in the hope of locating a brother and a sister.

It seems that he and they, when mere babies, had been taken by the state from Lowell, where they were living at the time. When the defendant became of age he was allowed to go. While in the custody of the state the children became separated, and now the defendant cannot locate his younger brother and sister. Rev. Clark Carter was interested in the case yesterday. The youth is a clean looking young man. There was nothing wrong about him and he was allowed to go, his case being continued for sentence to allow him to continue his search for his brother and sister.

AWNING ON FIRE

The Department Called
Out Twice

A slight fire in the awning of Calnan & Guthrie's store in Merrimack street was the cause of two alarms from box 25 last night. The first alarm was sent in at 6:22 o'clock and the other at 6:43.

A gas lamp hanging on the outside of the store, close to the awning, set the latter on fire. An alarm was sent in and in a short time the fire fighters were on the scene and had the blaze out. About 20 minutes later another alarm was sent in from the same box and for the same cause, and again the firemen did a quick job.

The damages are slight and are covered by the insurance of Collins & Hogan.

GOVERNOR FOSS

MADE NO APPOINTMENT TO SU-
PERIOR COURT BENCH

BOSTON, March 8.—Gov. Foss made no appointment for the vacancy on the superior bench at the meeting of the executive council today.

DEATHS

MITCHELL.—Mrs. Maria J. Mitchell, aged 52 years, died this afternoon at her home, 25 Varnoy street after a brief illness with pneumonia. She leaves one daughter, Miss Elizabeth Mitchell. She was the mother of the late Fred G. and Charles A. Mitchell of the Bon Marche, Dry Goods company.

WM. J. BRYAN

DELIVERED ADDRESS TO BRYAN
CIVIC CLUB

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 8.—Col. William Jennings Bryan arrived here this afternoon from Boston. He was taken almost immediately to Brown university, where he addressed the Brown Civic club. Tonight he will deliver a lecture.

OLD DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED

NEW YORK, March 8.—It was announced today that the annual election of the Central Leather Co. has resulted in the re-election of the entire old board of directors. Vice President Krauthoff said he regarded the outcome of the election as a complete victory for the present management, against whom charges of mismanagement had been made by minority stockholders.

You Better Join

The happy throng of Salsuga de-
positors at the

Merrimack River
Savings Bank

417 MIDDLESEX STREET
It gives you a feeling of
SECURITY AND INDEPENDENCE

If you want help at home or in your
business, try The Sun "Want" column

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Must Support Wife
Harvey Bellow, charged with failing

to provide proper support for his wife, Rose, pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$4.50 a week for the support of his wife, the said money to be paid to the probation officer, and to furnish bonds in the sum of \$100 to comply with the order.

Was Fined \$25
Frederick N. Bickford, who on Jan. 4, was placed in the care of the probation officer after being found guilty of non support of his wife and his minor child, and who failed to live up to his agreement with the court, was brought before Judge Hadley this morning to give an account of himself.

The wife informed the court that she is living with her folks, who are supporting her and her child. Bickford said that he could not find work, but now he has a job to go to on Monday. The court imposed a fine of \$25.

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NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—Today's joint ballot for United States senator resulted in no material change. Gov. Dix today made public a letter from Mayor Gaynor of New York, expressing the hope that the senatorial contest will soon be ended and offering to assist in any way possible in bringing it about. The letter says in part:

"The contest is a great distraction and it has always seemed to me that they should come together as men do in all affairs of life and talk it over, and yield a little here and there, and come to an agreement. Why cannot that be done?"

The governor said the letter spoke for itself and was an evidence that all democrats are for harmony.

MURDER TRIAL

The Second in Plymouth County
Within a Month

PLYMOUTH, March 8.—Plymouth Eugene Joy, formerly a boarder in the county's second murder trial, within a month opened today when a jury was impaneled to hear the evidence in the case of Charles P. Fernald of Wareham, who is charged with the murder a year ago of Joseph H. Helleur in the Onset bay section of Wareham. It is alleged by the prosecuting attorney that Fernald struck Helleur over the head with a billiard cue, causing a fracture of the skull, from which Helleur died a few days later. It was expected that the trial would continue for nearly a week as the government has at least a score of witnesses to be heard, one of the most important being the widow of the dead man. The widow, a few days ago, went to Oak Bluffs, where she took for her third husband.

THE TRUTH ABOUT HATS

Talk will not sell
ladies' hats.

Their flowers and
feathers defy de-
scription.

But a bright, at-
tractive display will
capture the public.

Use electric light.
Sell more hats.

Lowell Electric Light
60 Central Street

FUNERAL NOTICE

WHEELER.—The funeral of Mrs. Nora Wheeler will take place Thursday morning at 8.15 o'clock from the residence of the Rev. Howard Brown, where there will be a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

FUNERAL OF JUDGE LOWELL
BOSTON, March 8.—The leaders of the bench and bar of this state gathered today at Kings chapel to attend the funeral of Judge Francis Lowell of the United States circuit court. The casket was met at the door of the church by the Rev. Howard Brown, the pastor, and the Rev. Malcolm Taylor of Taunton, a friend of the deceased, and the procession was read by Mr. Brown as the funeral party walked up the aisle. The honorary pallbearers were Judges J. B. Colt and William Putnam of the United States circuit court, Frederick Dodge, Edgar Aldrich and Arthur L. Brown of the United States district court and Major Henry L. Hightson, Dr. H. P. Walcott and Dr. Lyman Abbott of the Harvard corporation. Relatives and friends were the active pallbearers. The interment was at Mount Auburn. All the federal courts were closed and flags on the federal buildings hung at half-staff throughout the day.

ADMIRAL FREMONT MANY INDUSTRIES

Commandant of Charlestown Navy Yard Dropped Dead Are Seeking Permanent Locations in This City

BOSTON, March 8.—Rear Admiral John Charles Fremont, commandant of the Charlestown navy yard, for 35 years active in the service of the United States navy and an expert in deep sea soundings, coast surveys and searchlights, dropped dead of heart disease in his home in the navy yard last night. Admiral Fremont had been indisposed for two days but had been able to attend to his duties and was chatting with his wife and two daughters when death overtook him.

Admiral Fremont was born in San Francisco, April 19, 1849, the son of Major General John Charles Fremont, U. S. A., "the Pathfinder." He graduated from the United States naval academy in 1872, and in 1875 was appointed to the command of the U. S. S. Plata, on which he served two years and assisted in the suppression of the riots in Baltimore in 1877. In 1882 and 1885 he was in command of the U. S. S. Drift and was occupied in coast survey. During the Spanish war he commanded the torpedo boat Porter and at the conclusion of the war was made commandant of the navy yard at Cavite, P. I., where he remained three years until 1902, when he was appointed to the command of the U. S. S. Oglethorpe and of the monitor Florida. In 1905-07 he was naval attaché at Paris and St. Petersburg and for two years was in command of the battleship Mississippi.

He was appointed commandant of the Charlestown navy yard January 1, 1910.

City Now Needs More Buildings, Suitable for Manufacturing Purposes—Board of Trade Favors Extension of Tracks in Andover Street

At the regular meeting of the directors of the board of trade last evening, President Harvey B. Greene made the encouraging statement that at no time in the history of the board have there been so many applications for commercial locations in Lowell as at present and the present need is a number of buildings suitable for manufacturing purposes. President Greene's statement was based on the monthly report of Secretary Murphy on the board's work since last meeting and which dealt principally with the number of new industries that either have already located here or which may do so in the near future.

Sixty-four new members were added within a month, showing a steady gain in membership. The committee on annual banquet which will be held in Associate hall on March 18, at 6.15 o'clock, preceded by a reception, made a report of progress. Caterer Henderson who is to provide the banquet, submitted a thoroughly satisfactory menu. The caterer is guaranteed 500 plates and he will have a corps of waiters of ample numbers. The speakers thus far engaged are Lewis K. Bourke of Boston, Rev. Dr. Smith Baker and Mayor John C. Meehan. The committee is endeavoring to get John H. Baker, formerly editor of the Boston Traveler to speak on "New England."

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For 1911: Gorham street from Appleton street to Davis square; East Merrimack street from Eastern canal to High street.

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For 1915: Central street from Appleton street to Elm street; Market street from Palmer street to Shattuck street; East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street; Palmer street from Market street to Merrimack street; Nesmith street from East Merrimack street to Andover street.

George W. Trull brought up the matter of extending the tracks in Andover street through North Tewksbury to Andover, a distance of six miles. He stated that such an extension would accommodate several hundred houses and is desired by the people of Andover. He pointed out that the extension would bring more business to Lowell. The board voted in favor of the proposition and will send a committee of five to confer with the Boston & Northern officials.

President Greene reported the formation of an organization known as the New England Business Federation. He attended the initial meeting as a delegate from the Lowell board of trade, and said that it seemed to him that Lowell should join the organization. The object of the organization is to bring New England and to endeavor to compete with the other highly advanced sections of this country. He outlined the problems the organization would cope with. Action on the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

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WILL REPORT BILL

Committee Favorable to Mayor Meehan's Bill

After the hearing before the committee on cities of the legislature yesterday on the bill accompanying Mayor Meehan's petition providing that no streets shall be laid out on private property in Lowell without the approval of the plans therefor as to width, location, direction and grade, by a special board to consist of the mayor, the city engineer and the superintendent of streets, the committee went into executive session and voted to report the bill.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

PLEASED THAT SECRETARY BALINGER HAS RESIGNED

NEW YORK, March 8.—When Gifford Pinchot was seen at his home here last night there was no mistaking the satisfaction with which he regarded the news of Secretary Balinger's resignation.

"Mr. Balinger's resignation was inevitable," he said, "and will be received with general satisfaction. It is a welcome omission to the growing determination of the country to be represented by public servants in whose hands the public interests are safe."

"The appointment of Walter Fisher is admirable. I speak with confidence for we have been working together for years. As vice president and one of the founders of the National Conservation association, he has been a vigorous and effective supporter of the policies for which the conservationists stand."

"In his new post as secretary of the interior, he will, I feel sure, continue the conservation of our natural resources as closely as we have done in the past. His entrance into the government service unquestionably will meet with strong public approval."

Further than this, Mr. Pinchot did not care to comment for publication. The former chief forester intends to sail today on the steamship Celtic for a tour of Mediterranean countries.

JULIUS CAESAR

ARTISTIC RECITAL BY MARSHALL DARRACH

Mr. Marshall Darrach gave the second in his series of Shakespearean recitals, last evening, presenting "Julius Caesar" in most artistic manner before a large and appreciative audience. His interpretation of the varying characters of the great tragedy was matchless and at no time did he overdo his delicate work. Mark Anthony's speech was perhaps the best feature of the scene in which Portia pleads with Brutus in the garden was beautifully done.

Mr. Darrach gives one more recital on Tuesday night of next week, when the play will be "Twelfth Night." A large audience is assured, after the two preceding successful presentations.

TWO INQUESTS

WERE HELD BEFORE JUDGE PICKMAN

Inquests into the deaths of John W. Feeney at Wamecet and John McAuley at Tewksbury Centre, recently were held yesterday before Judge John J. Pickman in the court of second sessions in the Market building.

As to the death of Mr. Feeney there is a mystery which the Boston & Northern company has been unable to solve, that is his presence near the tracks. The railway officials have admitted that one of their cars struck the man but they are at a loss to learn how the accident happened.

His body was found on the car tracks near Wamecet, an electric car having evidently run over him without the knowledge of the conductor or motorman operating the car. The motorman of another car saw the body and stopped his car in time to avoid running over it again.

In the case of McAuley, the evidence was that he was killed while walking along the tracks at Tewksbury Centre. Apparently he did not hear the train approaching.

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WIVES OF RIVAL MAYORALTY CANDIDATES IMPORTANT FACTORS IN CHICAGO'S FIGHT



CHICAGO, March 5.—The wives of H. Harrison and Edith Ogden Harrison, the two candidates for mayor, republican and democrat, will prove important factors in deciding the contest, considerable literary ability, is doing in which comes to a finality at the polls. Mrs. Harrison, who has constant work in the publicity department of the campaign forces. She is the democratic candidate. Is not only the voters. Mrs. Merriam, wife of working herself in aid of her husband's Charles F. Merriam, the republican campaign, but the two children, Carter H. and Edith Ogden.

calling on her wealthy acquaintances among the women to endeavor to get them to secure the votes of their men folk for the professor in the University of Chicago, who is also an alderman. Professor Merriam will get strong support from the students. The rivalry between Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Merriam is as intense as that existing between the two candidates. Mrs. Harrison, who was Edith Ogden, is a southern woman, being the daughter of Judge Ogden of the Louisiana court of appeals. In the breadth of her education, in her love of home and family, she is typical of that class of people in the south who live perhaps the most fully rounded out life that is lived in this country. She was reared under the strictest code of the old regime, and her childhood was passed at all times directly under her father's care. Her education was received at Mrs. Shaw's school in New Orleans and later from private masters. She met Carter H. Harrison in Chicago and was married to him in December, 1887. She has two children, Carter H. and Edith Ogden.

THE FLOUR



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Frank E. Jewett, Arthur J. Desmurs, George Eastman, Charles A. Rydell, William D. Brown, Wesley M. Wilder, Charles W. Johnson, J. W. Stewart, George H. Spaulding, Fred B. Emerson.

BEOM NEW ENGLAND

President Greene reported the formation of an organization known as the New England Business Federation. He attended the initial meeting as a delegate from the Lowell board of trade, and said that it seemed to him that Lowell should join the organization. The object of the organization is to bring New England and to endeavor to compete with the other highly advanced sections of this country. He outlined the problems the organization would cope with. Action on the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

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Street Paving Plan

The plan for a schedule for street paving for a five year period was brought up for final action and it was voted to approve it and submit it to the city government for consideration. The plan has been changed somewhat from the draft heretofore published and is as follows:

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For 1915: Central street from Appleton street to Elm street; Market street from Palmer street to Shattuck street; East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street; Palmer street from Market street to Merrimack street; Nesmith street from East Merrimack street to Andover street.

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LAWYER SHEARN

Makes Charges Against Hospital Officials

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—Clarence J. Shearn, who has begun legal proceedings with a view to releasing Harry K. Thaw from the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane, yesterday on behalf of Thaw's mother, filed a letter with Gov. Dix, alleging "neglect of duty, maladministration and abuse of power" on the part of Superintendent of Prisons Collins and Dr. Albert W. Perris, president of the state lunacy commission in connection with the management of the institution.

Gov. Dix turned the letter over to William Church Osborn and George B. Van Korman, who are making an investigation of the hospital.

EX-SEN. ALDRICH

CALLS MEETING OF THE MONETARY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Former Senator Aldrich arrived here yesterday from Brunswick, Ga., where he has been spending the past few weeks for the benefit of his health. On Thursday he will have a meeting of the national monetary commission of which he is the chairman. He will devote his time now to carrying on the campaign of education in monetary matters which both Mr. Aldrich and President Taft feel is necessary before legislation is enacted, changing the monetary system for the country from its present basis.

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JURY TRIAL BILL

Passed by Vote of 29 to 5
in State Senate

BOSTON, March 8.—In the state senate yesterday a new draft of the bill relative to proceedings for punishment of the violation of injunctions was accepted and the bill was passed to be engrossed, 29 to 5. The bill provides in effect that where a person is accused of having violated an injunction of the court he shall have a jury trial on the question of whether or not he did violate it. The new draft was submitted by Senator Horace M. Middlesex. The bill was favored by Senator Malley of Hampden. Although there was no vote against the measure on the voice vote and the president declared the measure passed to engrossment, Senator Malley, apparently to get members on record, doubted the vote and had the roll called. On the roll call 29 members (15 republicans and 14 democrats) voted for the bill and only five, all republicans, voted against it. The five were Senators Evans, Greenwood, Mulligan, Pearson and Schoonmaker.

The Blanchard order for investigation by the railroad commission into the matter of furnishing drinking water and sanitary cups by railroads on their passenger trains was put over till tomorrow. The bill forbidding trapping with scented bait was put over till March 11.

The adverse report of the legal affairs committee on the Ross petition prohibiting work in factories and workshops on Washington's birthday was accepted.

The bill for the taxing of deposits in the savings departments of trust companies was held by the committee on bills in third reading.

The governor's veto of the civil service qualifications bill, which the house passed over the veto, was received and action postponed till today.

Senate Committee Reports

In the senate these committee reports were received: Legal affairs—Leave to withdraw to Roger F. Scannell to permit games and sports on the Lord's day; same to Andrew A. Cassessa, to give entertainments on the Lord's day; same to John J. Walsh, to prohibit exorbitant rates of interest; same to Dist. Atty. Pelletier in his petition for amendment of the law relative to the carrying of concealed weapons; same to Thomas Curley on his petition to permit certain games on Sunday.

Banks and banking—Leave to withdraw to Senator Grainger on the petition for an act to provide that savings banks shall pay interest on deposits up to the first day of the month previous to the withdrawal.

The bill fixing the liability of banks for the payment of forged, unauthorized, altered or raised negotiable instruments was put over till today on motion of Senator Malley, who explained that he had sought Prof. Williston's opinion of the measure but had not received it as yet.

Chinese Restaurant Bill

In the house the bill to extend the jurisdiction of lower courts, which was debated for several days last week, was passed to be engrossed after the adoption, without debate, of an amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney of Boston, providing that no person shall be sentenced under the terms of the bill for more than two years in the house of correction, and that no person shall be sentenced to a term of more than six months without having one day in which to appeal his case.

The committee on legal affairs reported leave to withdraw on the petition for an act to prohibit the admission of women under 21 to Chinese restaurants.

The committee on legal affairs also reported leave to withdraw on all the

to permit the playing of baseball on Sunday.

Other committee reports were: Public health—A bill to regulate the occupation of barbering and to create a board for the licensing of barbers.

Judiciary—Leave to withdraw on bill to require judges to declare their financial interest in corporations.

Legal affairs—Leave to withdraw on bills to regulate interest charges on small loans; leave to withdraw on bill to prohibit the admission of children under 16 years of age to places of amusement.

Fisheries and game—A bill to establish an open season from Oct. 14 to March 1 on coot, whistlers and shel-drake in the counties of Nantucket, Barnstable and Dukes; Senator Gates and Representatives Saltonstall and Arkwell dissent.

Judiciary—A bill to require the attendance of illiterate minors at evening school up to the age of 21 years, instead of 18.

At the affairs—A bill authorizing Wolvsey college to hold real estate to the value of not more than \$10,000,000. It now has authority to hold property to the value of \$5,000,000.

Mercantile affairs—A bill to require the state board of health to make analysis of paint, lime and oil and put it in force if requested by the state board of health.

THE PASSION PLAY, TONIGHT.

A lecture on the Passion Play of Oberammergau is very appropriate to the Lenten season and on that account Mr. Arthur K. Peck's appearance in the People's club course tonight will be timely. He will describe and picture the great drama deviously given by pious peasants of a little Bavarian village. The passion play will be given from the play itself. Mr. Peck has spoken before People's club audiences in other seasons, and is a great favorite. His lecture tonight will be heard by as many people as can get into the hall of the Runels building, Merrimack square. It is free to all and a general invitation is extended. The hour is 8 o'clock.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Most Elaborate Celebration Ever Held

PASADENA, Cal., March 8.—What is said to be the most elaborate golden wedding anniversary ever celebrated anywhere in the world took place here yesterday, with Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Busch as the central figures. The most costly of the presents was the diadem presented to Mrs. Busch by her husband. It is a crown of gold, studded with diamonds and pearls, valued at \$250,000.

The presents received by the couple are valued at \$500,000. The children gave their parents a dozen dinner plates made of solid gold valued at \$25,000. A solid gold flower basket, valued at \$15,000, was received from the grandchildren.

President Taft sent a \$20 gold coin of the new St. Gaudens design in an ivory case. Theodore Roosevelt sent a solid gold loving cup, and there was a gold loving cup from Emperor William.

A magnificent loving cup was received from citizens of Pasadena. The residing feast took place last night at "The Blossoms," the Busch winter home. The floral decorations are valued at \$50,000.

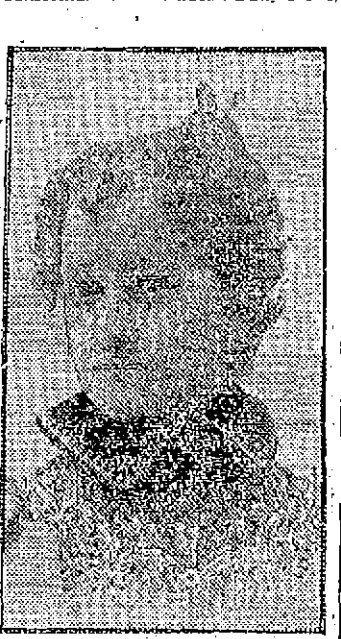
MRS. C. BENNETT

Winner of Popular Prize in Pasadena, Cal.

Little wonder that men from Texas, Montana, the golden slope and other places seek wives in Lowell.

It doesn't make any difference whether it's at home or abroad, the Lowell girl is a gem of the first water. She makes good wherever she goes and when you find a Lowell girl in a contest of any kind it's the day's best bet that she is going to win.

The winning spirit of a Lowell girl has recently been demonstrated in a lively newspaper contest in Pasadena, California. The Pasadena Daily News,



MRS. CHARLES BENNETT, Of Pasadena, Cal., Formerly of Lowell

In order to increase its circulation, offered prizes for the one receiving the greatest number of votes. It was a battle of ballots and the purpose of the paper was to advertise itself by the women who engaged in the battle of votes. The contest was open to women, only.

The woman who won a prize had to do it by her popularity and industry, and the second prize, a \$100 Kohler & Campbell plant was won by Mrs. Charles Bennett, formerly of this city. Mrs. Bennett's maiden name was Mabel Goodfellow. Her husband, Charles Bennett is the son of J. C. Bennett, the hardware merchant, at 269 Dutton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett went to California a few years ago and settled in Pasadena. Charles Bennett was, at one time, the proprietor of the small candy and periodical store at the corner of School and Pawtucket streets. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett have two children and are prospering in the golden west.

The newspaper responsible for the battle of ballots in which Mrs. Bennett engaged allows that several thousand new subscribers have been added to its list. Mrs. Bennett's total number of votes was 5,273, and the total of all the ballots sent in to the office from the various districts netted about 40,000,000.

SEC'Y. FISHER

Is an Enthusiastic Golf Player

CHICAGO, March 8.—Walker L. Fisher, who has been appointed secretary of the Interior by President Taft, is an enthusiastic golfer and undoubtedly will become a member of the president's golf club.

When Mr. Fisher is in Chicago he spends a large part of his recreation hours on the Oceanview and Skokie courses. He is said to have a record considerably under 90.

MISS McDONALD DEAD

PORTLAND, Me., March 8.—Miss Abbie Louise McDonald, a post grand chancellor of the Pythian sisterhood of Maine, now known as the Pythian Sisters, died last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. R. Legrow, with whom she lived. She was 62 years old.

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CHINA CLOSET FIREMEN HURT

Was Presented to Flooring of a Building Gave Way

NEW YORK, March 8.—Three firemen were badly injured today when the flooring on the third story of a building on Third avenue gave way and fell to the cellar. The building burned last night and the firemen were engaged today in "washing down." A search was made to find out if there were any more firemen in the ruins.

SISTER ALICE

EXPULSION FROM PORTUGAL, IS COMING TO THIS COUNTRY

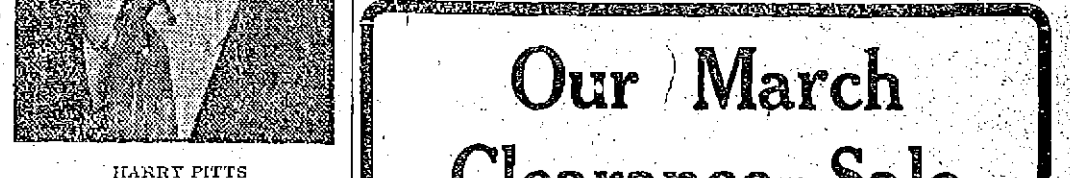
WOONSOCKET, R. I., March 8.—Expelled from Portugal as the result of the new republic's law against religious orders, Sister Alice of the Blessed Sacrament, who before becoming a religious was Miss Delphine Lafayette of this city, leaves London today for this country. Rev. Arthur Lafayette of Woonsocket is her brother.

Sister Alice became a member of the Little Sisters of the Poor 22 years ago when she was assigned to Brooklyn.

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HARRY PITTS

with a French plate mirror and glass shelves. The cabinet is of the very finest workmanship.

The presentation was made by John P. Farley, the excited ruler, and Mr. Pitts responded briefly.

There followed an informal banquet with all sorts of good things, prepared under the direction of James Cudworth and speeches and songs and readings by members.

Among those who contributed to the evening's entertainment were Mr. Hanson, James E. Donnelly, Donald Meek and other members of the stock company, appearing at Hathaway's theatre, and others. Arthur Martel was the pianist.

Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, John McElroy, Samuel Scott and James Cudworth were the men in direct charge of the affair, while the other members of the lodges assisted.

HEAD BLOWN OFF

Woman the Victim of Accident

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 8.—The spirit of war brought about by the preparation of troops to depart for the Mexican border was the indirect cause last night of the death of Mrs. Thomas McMillan, wife of a farmer. Soldiers were drilling in the suburbs. A gun in the hands of Ewing Spencer was loaded. When he snapped the trigger the top of Mrs. McMillan's head was blown off. She was watching the manoeuvres.

HEAVY DAMAGE

Caused by Washouts in California

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—After playing havoc through central and northern California by causing washouts, floods and damage to growing crops, the storm of the last four days, according to the weather bureau, has begun to break up and to move eastward. The storm has been unprecedented in the velocity of wind and the heavy rainfall. In several cities, notably San Jose, boats have taken the place of the usual vehicles in the streets. At sea the storm has raged with fury all along the coast from San Diego to Oregon.

RUPTURE AND PILES

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Dr. A. W. Turner, a Boston specialist, has published a pamphlet explaining how rupture, piles and all rectal troubles may be cured to stay cured without going to a hospital or using the knife.

Of course all sufferers are interested, and letters are coming to the doctor in great numbers from other physicians and from afflicted people.

To all inquirers the doctor sends the pamphlet by mail without charge.

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Every Mattress in This Sale is Made Under Strict Sanitary Conditions.

Full size soft top mattresses, in two parts, for this sale only. Regular price \$2.50 \$1.79	We take pride in our cotton mattresses that we make under our own supervision. The filling is all selected stock and guaranteed free from odor. Worth \$7.50, sale price \$5.95
Soft top and bottom mattresses, filled with best quality excelsior, value \$3.75, sale price \$2.98	Layer felt mattresses, made of pure, selected layer felt, sold everywhere for \$12, special sale price, \$8.98
Combination mattresses, in good quality tick, the kind that wear. Regular price \$4.75, for this sale \$3.69	Silk boss mattresses, the acme of comfort and durability, regular value \$15, priced for this sale, \$11.98
Combination mattress, soft top, bottom and sides, usually sold for \$5, for this sale \$3.98	National springs, the only spring for comfort, priced for this sale, regular price \$3.50 \$2.49
Combination rattan and fibre mattress, the kind that always give satisfaction, priced for this sale, regular price \$6.50, for \$4.69	

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White enameled steel beds, strong and durable, value \$5.50, priced at \$3.95	All brass beds, with 2 inch posts, five fillers, polished and English lacquered, regular value \$12.50, for this sale \$8.79
White enameled steel beds, brass trimmed, with fancy scroll, regular value \$7.50, for this sale, \$5.69	Brass beds, with 2 inch continuous posts, double top rails, made to sell for \$25. Sale price \$19.50

Attend this sale. We'll convince you that we have the best values ever offered in this city. Many other values in beds at reduced prices, besides those advertised here.

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Is very economically done here. Shall we send a man to estimate? No charge for this. But we suggest that you promptly avail yourself of the opportunities here. We guarantee satisfaction both in workmanship and quality of goods used. We have added to our force B. W. Montague, formerly of Boston, Mass., and Joseph H. Cronin, recently with J. S. Hastings.

Our March Clearance Sale

STARTED THIS MORNING

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Corset covers, drawers, gowns, petticoats and brassieres. A small lot worth 69c and 97c, now 50c	Any of our gowns or combinations, formerly priced \$2.97, \$3.97 and \$5.00, now \$1.97
Hand embroidered lingerie waists, and a few white tailored waists, were 97c, now 50c	Discontinued styles of 97c lingerie waists, now 69c
Gowns, drawers, corset covers and combinations, formerly priced \$1.50 and \$1.97, now 97c	Discontinued styles of lingerie, silk and wool waists, formerly priced \$2.97, \$3.50, \$3.97, now \$1.97
Lingerie and tailored waists, formerly priced \$1.97, now 97c	Your choice of any of our \$5.00 black or colored silk petticoats, now \$3.97
Lace and embroidery trimmed tea aprons. Any of our 50c styles, now 29c	A few 25c tea aprons and flannelette short skirts, now 15c
Outsize flannelette gowns, our regular \$1.00 styles, now 50c	Jersey top petticoats, styles that sold for \$1.50 and \$1.97, now 97c
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NEW HAVEN ROAD

Has Purchased Another Railroad in Vermont

BOSTON, March 8.—A further change in the railroad map of Vermont, by which the Boston & Maine system will be enabled to reach Montpelier and Barre, important granite manufacturing centres, over its own lines, was announced at the head offices in this city last night.

Persons acting in the interests of the Vermont Valley Railroad company, a Vermont corporation controlled by the Boston & Maine system, have purchased the interests held by the Sortwell estate in the Montpelier and Wells River railroad, the Barre railroad and the Barre railway.

As soon as the legal preliminaries can be arranged, it was announced, the properties will be merged into and become a part of the Boston & Maine system, and thereafter be operated as

part of the larger company.

The Sortwell estate possessed a controlling interest in all three lines which have just changed hands. The three roads were controlled by former Mayor Alvin P. Sortwell of Cambridge, who died last year.

Last month the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad system, which controls the Boston & Maine, purchased sufficient stock of the Rutland railroad system from the New York Central & Hudson River railroad company to give the New York Central equal rights with the New York Central over the Rutland lines, thus enabling the New York, New Haven & Hartford company to compete with the Grand Trunk system, which controls the Central Vermont railroad in the western and Canadian grain carrying trade, by way of the lakes and Montreal.

GROUP OF YOUNG DETROIT PLAYERS

SHOWING UP WELL IN SPRING PRACTICE



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MONROE, La., March 8.—Manager Hugh Jennings and his Detroit Tigers

are now in hard training here for the coming campaign. Hugh is highly pleased with the work of his new men and says they are the most promising lot he has had in years. Jennings is particularly sweet on Pitchers Cayot and Louder, Infielders Wuffli, Gainer, Cochran and Kirk, Catcher Casey and Outfielder Drake. It is believed that the Tigers' manager will hold on to this entire bunch. Their work has been exceedingly good—far above the average record brand—and Jennings is confident that with a year's experience every one of them will be ripe for a regular berth. Gainer's playing at first base in several practice games has been sensational. Jennings predicts a close race in the American league this season. "Don't put me on record as predicting a pennant for the Tigers," said Jennings recently. "For I don't care to win any flag in the spring. I will say, however, that we will be up there and fighting all the time and that the clubs which beat us will know that they have been in a battle."

LOWELL SECOND

New Bedford Writer's Base Ball Dope

Albert W. Keane, sporting editor of the New Bedford Times, has started a series of articles in his paper on the outlook in the New England league. He declines at the outset to claim that his home team will win the pennant, but puts Lynn first; Lowell, second; New Bedford, third, and the others in the following order: Worcester, Haverhill, Fall River, Brockton, Lawrence. Right off the reel, if the Lawrence papers see Keane's dope there'll be a mighty howl from that burg.

The writer showed Mr. Keane's article to Manager Gray and the latter said: "If Keane is playing Lynn straight he may lose. If he's playing Lowell for a place he may win, but to cut the race track parlance it is my intention to have Lowell win the pennant this year, but in the event of being unable to realize my hope I'll be satisfied with second place. To be in the first division isn't enough for this town. We must be one, two, three and we will be."

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The Lowell Grays should finish second and I can see no better than third place for Tommy David's Champs. Jesse Burkett's aggregation from Worcester should romp home fourth with the Haverhill outfit trailing him and Brockton and Lawrence bringing up in the rear.

In the selection the fans of New Bedford are bound to be sore. To have their Champs placed third is surely a comedown yet a careful study of the team on paper, and the much touted abilities of the recruits, cannot make up the loss of sold, so-called and drafted players from the fastest team which ever romped on the diamonds of the New England league.

Can't Equal 1910 Team

Manager David has assured the fans that the club this year will be just as strong as last season's aggregation, but this is not possible under the new salary limit. The local directors will

DEAL CALLED OFF

BALTIMORE, Md., March 8.—Manager Dunn of the Baltimore Eastern league baseball club yesterday was notified by Manager "Mike" Kelly of the St. Paul American Association club that the deal for the transfer to St. Paul of third baseman Hall of the local club had been called off.

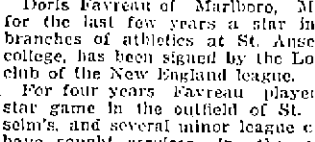
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TERRY MARTIN

WAS NO MATCH FOR "KID" HENRY OF TROY

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—"Kid" Henry of Troy, won easily from Terry Martin of Boston in a one-sided 10-round bout last night. The bell saved Martin from a knockout in the sixth round.

LOCAL NEWS

Messrs. Arthur Lamoureux and Arthur Giroux of this city have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chasse of Manchester, N. H.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre McGowan of Wamecet court.

A group of young women of St. Joseph's parish are rehearsing a dramatic play to be given after Easter. The proceeds of the soiree will be devoted to the parish work.

Inspector Frank Goodwin of the police department, who is now on the pension roll, made his first appearance on the street this afternoon since December 20 of last year, he having been confined to his house since that time as a result of falling down three steps leading into his cellar and sustaining a sprained ankle. With the assistance of a cane Mr. Goodwin is able to walk and his many friends hope that he will soon have the full use of the limb.

MINOR LEAGUE

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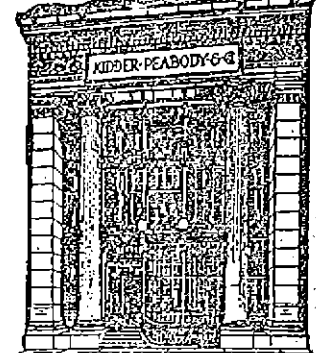
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THE ALPINE FIVE

Won Two Points From the St. Peter's

The game between the Alpines and St. Peter's last night resulted in a victory for the former team, who won two of the three points. The winning aggregation started off in the first string in a blaze of glory and won the second string by a good margin, but when it came to the third string there was nothing to it. The "mountain climbers" fell from the plane and as a result they lost the third string by eight points.

The Ramblers and Lowell Electric Light team clashed in a game in the minor league last night. The Ramblers won all three points.

In the game between the Lamson Rapids and Conveyors in the Lamson C. S. S. league the Rapids won two of the three points.

The Mongesaus and Solicitors had at it and the former team did an awful job on the latter team.

CATHOLIC LEAGUE

Alpines

	1	2	3	Totals
H. Farrell	102	81	80	263
O'Brien	121	97	90	308
Devlin	105	90	84	279
Dwyer	87	94	103	284
Wynne	106	98	95	299
Totals	521	460	452	1433

St. Peter's

	1	2	3	Totals
J. Donohoe	81	98	107	286
Highland	95	84	80	259
E. P. Donohoe	81	77	88	246
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The musical entertainment was furnished by some good local talent and included violin selections by John T. Stott; solos by James Ritchie and Guy Richardson; and phonographic selections by John Gunther. The Riversdale Farm quartet, comprised of Guy Richardson, James Ritchie, Burton O. Sanford and Herbert B. Ellis, gave several pleasing numbers. Thomas Bateson was the accompanist.

President Guy M. Richardson of the class presided during the evening. A collation was provided after the meeting.

Those having charge of the affair were: Music committee, Alex. Allen, John Gunther, Thomas Bateson; supper committee, William Chambers, F. E. Walker, William Rutledge and Archibald Ritchie.

FUNERALS

SMITH.—The funeral of Miss Anna L. Smith took place yesterday from the home of her uncle, P. S. Ward, Highland avenue, North Chelmsford, at 8.30 o'clock. High mass of requiem was sung at St. John's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Schiefel officiating. The choir, under the direction of Miss Josephine McCabe sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory Miss Gertrude Quigley sang "O Mariam Fassionis" and as the body was being borne from the church, Miss Josephine McCabe sang "De Profundis."

Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Sister," from Lena Smith; large standing cross, from T. H. Martin Co's Dept. East Chelmsford, Mass.; wreath from Mrs. T. H. Martin, Miss Elizabeth Halliday, Mrs. J. J. Spillane; large wreath from Mr. Ward and family; sprays, Mrs. Kane, Catherine and Anna Murphy, Mrs. Owen Schollan, Mrs. J. A. White, Miss Alice Aldie, Misses Finnegan, Miss Nellie Lacur and Miss Whelan.

The bearers were Harry and Michael Riley, James Rafferty and Patrick Flynn. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. John McHugh read the communal prayers at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

SHERIDAN.—The funeral of Patrick Sheridan took place yesterday from his late home, rear, 229 Adams street, at 9 o'clock, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was sung at 9.45 o'clock by Rev. John J. McHugh. The choir sang the Gregorian mass; Miss Alice Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy sustaining the solos. Mr. Michael Johnson presided at the organ. Among the floral tributes were: "Husband," from wife and spray from Mr. Michael Riley. The bearers were Harry and Michael Riley, James Rafferty and Patrick Flynn. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. John McHugh read the communal prayers at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

HONNEAU.—The funeral of the late Frank Honneau took place at four o'clock yesterday afternoon from the funeral parlors of Undertaker Joseph Albert. The bearers were Albert Vezina, Romeo, St. George, Joseph Perron, Elzear Vezina. Burial was in Eden cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Albert in charge.

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WALTER L. FISHER

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Walter L. Fisher, who has been appointed secretary of the interior to succeed Richard A. Ballinger, resigned, is widely known as an advocate of conservation of our national resources. He has been chosen to fill the office of president of the

Conservation League of America and of vice president of the National Conservation association. His home is in Chicago. He is a lawyer and a member of the Chicago Historical society, the Municipal league and of the Owensville Country club, the chief activity of which is golfing.

WAGE INCREASE

For Employes of the
Wabash Road

CHICAGO, March 5.—A wage increase approximating 10 per cent was granted engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors on the Wabash railroad in a settlement yesterday of a wage controversy. The Wabash was not included in the western roads which effected a wage increase in December and the settlement yesterday is the first made by any road since the decision of the interstate commerce commission denying the roads' increased freight rates.

FRENCH BRIGADE

The General Board of
Officers Met

The general board of officers of the French American Volunteer Brigade of New England held an interesting meeting in Boston, under the presidency of A. J. Martineau of Willimantic, Conn.

Secretary Philip J. Martineau of Manchester, N. H., read the report of the last congress which was held in Fall River in January, and the said report was accepted.

By a unanimous vote it was decided that the annual demonstration will be held July 4 at Willimantic, Conn. A military contest will be held on that day between the different companies of the brigade and beautiful prizes as is the custom will be awarded the winners.

The date and place of the next congress will be chosen at the next meeting of the officers, which will be held in June next. The following as a tribute for services rendered the brigade were made honorary members of the brigade with the privilege of taking part in the meetings: Rev. Fr. A. Dion of Fall River, Mass.; Dr. Camille Cole of Salem, Mass.; Dr. J. Desard of Lynn, Mass.; W. F. L. Lessor of "L'Avant National" of Manchester, N. H.

Those who attended this last meeting were the following:

A. J. Martineau of Willimantic, Conn., president general; Ernest Renshaw of Lawrence, Mass., vice president general; Philip J. Martineau of Manchester, N. H., secretary general; Albert Bergeron of Lowell, Mass., treasurer general; Andrew A. Cote, of Fitchburg, Mass.; J. A. Touchette of Clarendon, New Hampshire; Edmund Simondeau of Marlboro, Mass.; auditors; A. J. Manderville of Abington, Mass., brigadier general; Horace Deslites of Lowell, Mass., master of ceremonies and Alfred St. Germain of Fall River, Mass., sentinels.

ST. MARGARET'S

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BAZAAR BEING MADE

The arrangements for the bazaar to be held in aid of St. Margaret's church in the Highlands, are being pushed along by the different ladies and after the Lenten season the various entertainments will start in anew conducting parties for the affair. Two of the busiest men in connection with the bazaar are John J. Plunder and Henry J. Reynolds, chairman and secretary respectively of the committee. Mr. Reynolds is also chairman of St. Margaret's table and is hustling night and day for the affair.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CALLAHAN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Callahan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 82 Beacon street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Funeral in charge of C. H. Molloy & Sons.

DACEY—The funeral of Jeremiah Dacey will take place Thursday morning from his late home, 231 Salem street, at 8 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

COBURN—Died, in Draught, March 7, Cynthia Coburn, aged 78 years, 4 months, 6 days. Funeral will take place Thursday afternoon, March 8, at 2 o'clock, from her residence, in Draught. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Geo. M. Eastman & Co.

CONNERS—The funeral of Edward Connors will take place Friday morning at 8.30 from the chapel of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 179 East Merrimack street. Mass of requiem at the church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock. Undertaker John A. Finnegan in charge.

TOMKAVICZ—The funeral of James Tomkavicz will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 36 Davidson street. The funeral arrangements and burial are under the direction of Undertakers John A. Finnegan.

DEATHS

SAWYER—Word has been received here of the death in Jacksonville, Fla., March 2, of Capt. W. D. A. Sawyer, who is well known by many Lowell residents. Capt. Sawyer was born in Salem in 1842, and served through the Civil war as a member of the Second Massachusetts Infantry. At the close of the war he gained the rank of captain. He went to Florida in 1877, and until 1888 was a well known range grower, residing at Beauclair, 10 miles south of Jacksonville, on the St. John's river. For the past 10 years he had lived in Jacksonville. He is survived by three children, Emelyn G., Frances Claire and David B. Sawyer, the latter a resident of Paterson, N. J.

MATHIEU—Died in this city, March 7, at 13 Joliet avenue, George, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mathieu, aged 7 months.

MINES—James Mines, a granite cutter by trade and a well known member of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at his home, 25 Manchester street, aged 45 years. He leaves a wife, Catherine. His death is deeply pathetic to the mother of Mrs. Mines, Mrs. Mary Kent of Brooklyn, N. Y., died Monday morning at the Manchester street home, where she was visiting her children. Mrs. Kent leaves a husband Robert, two sons and three daughters.

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36 in. Job No. 50, regular price 7c yd. Sale Price.....6c yd.
36 in. Job No. 100, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Amesbury, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Sebago, regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Hill, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Langdon, "76", regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....9 1/2c yd.
36 in. Dwight, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Langdon "G. B.", regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Laconia Twill, regular price 13c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.

36 INCH UNBLEACHED COTTON
36 in. High Shoals, regular price 5c yd. Sale Price.....4c yd.
36 in. Panama L., regular price 6c yd. Sale Price.....5c yd.
36 in. Dictator, regular price 7c yd. Sale Price.....6c yd.
36 in. E. E., regular price 7c yd. Sale Price.....6c yd.
36 in. Inex, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Grand Republic, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Essex R., regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Lockwood, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....8c yd.
36 in. Continental C., regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Cast Iron, regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Alamo, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Pequot, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Atlantic, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.

32 INCH BLEACHED COTTON
Regular price 6c yard.
Sale price, yard **4 1/2c**

Bleached Sheets
72x90 Pequot, regular price 75c each. Sale Price.....67 1/2c each.
81x90 Pequot, regular price 79c each. Sale Price.....71c each.
81x95 Pequot, regular price 89c each. Sale Price.....79c each.
81x108 Pequot, regular price 98c each. Sale Price.....89c each.

40 INCH UNBLEACHED COTTON
40 in. Beacon, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....6 1/2c yd.
40 in. Hoosac, regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
40 in. Household, regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....7 1/2c yd.
40 in. Lockwood, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....8 1/2c yd.
40 in. Continental D., regular price 12c yd. Sale Price.....9 1/2c yd.
40 in. Pequot B., regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
40 in. Cast Iron, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
40 in. Atlantic, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.

42 INCH BLEACHED COTTON
42 in. Job No. 42, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
42 in. B. D. G. Special, regular price 13 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
42 in. Cabot, regular price 14c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
42 in. Hill, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....12 1/2c yd.
42 in. Fruit of the Loom, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
42 in. Sebago, regular price 17c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
42 in. Pequot, regular price 17c yd. Sale Price.....15c yd.

42 IN. AND 45 IN. UNBLEACHED COTTON
42 in. Constitution, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
42 in. Pequot, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
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5-4 (45 IN.) BLEACHED COTTON
5-4 Job, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
5-4 Plymouth, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
5-4 Lockwood, regular price 16c yd. Sale Price.....13 1/2c yd.
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7-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
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8-4 Linwood, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
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Pillow Cases
42x36 A. A., regular price 10c each. Sale Price.....8c each.
42x36 Rugby, regular price 12 1/2c each. Sale Price.....10c each.
42x36 Diamond, regular price 15c each. Sale Price.....12c each.
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9-4 Brandon, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
9-4 Linwood, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
9-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
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10-4 Lockwood, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
10-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
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Sale price, yard **12 1/2c**

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36 IN. CAMBRICS AND LONG CLOTHS
36 in. Berkley No. 60, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
36 in. Lonsdale Cambric, regular price 14c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
36 in. Lonsdale Nainsook, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....12 1/2c yd.
36 in. Cameo No. 1000, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
36 in. Cameo No. 2000, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
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FUNERALS

BOURNE—The funeral of Charles Sanford Bourne took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, from his residence, 56 Fourth avenue, and was largely attended by friends and relatives. Rev. F. G. Alger officiated. A quartet consisting of Mrs. O. A. Park, Miss Cornelia, E. S. Howe and C. A. Richardson sang "No Shadow, Yonder" and "Christians Goodnight."

Prominent among the beautiful floral offerings were: Spray from Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lehnas; wreath inscribed "Grandpa," from grandchildren; wreath, Clarence and Carrie Pope, Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Pope, spray Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Clark; spray, Pawtucket Brotherhood; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith; bouquet, Bert Burton. The bearers were D. F. Boane, E. W. Wright, A. M. Horst and W. B. Marshfield.

Burial was in the Eden cemetery, under the direction of George M. Eastman & Co., undertakers.

DEVOLL—The funeral of Miss Rebecca T. Devoll took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, Stephen Devoll street. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. St. John Chamber, D. D., rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. William G. Spence and Mrs. Frederick A. Leach. The bearers were Charles B. Kendall, Arthur B. Dole, Edward W. Brigham and Charles R. Brigham. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Charles W. Eaton, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

WALSH—The funeral of Mrs. Annie F. Walsh took place this morning from her late home, 39 Carter street, at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church, where a high mass of requiem was sung at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I. The choir rendered the usual chant, and as the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." Mrs. Adelaide Muldoon presiding at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Wife and Mother," from family; pillow inscribed "Auntie," from Shea children; large cross from Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas and family; cross on base, from Lowell Teamsters' Union No. 117, Harvard Brewing company; large wreath from Katherine, Charlotte and Edward Walsh; wreath from Misses Annie and Julia Sullivan; wreath of galax leaves, Daniel J. Sullivan; wreath of galax leaves, Harry P. Harley; spray of pink and sweet, as from Miss Josephine Boyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Voessner. The bearers were John Sullivan, William Walsh, James Conlin, Patrick Kelly,

William Fleming, and Joseph Quisley. The ushers at the house and church were Harry Farley, Daniel Sullivan and Joseph Malone. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I., reciting the committal prayers at the grave, Undertaker Peter H. Savage was in charge.

LEMEUX—The funeral of the late Narcisse Lemeux took place this morning from his late home, 199 Hall street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The cortege proceeded to St. Jean Baptiste church where at 9 o'clock solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Gratton, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Frs. Brulard and Racette, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir rendered the usual harmonized chant under the direction of Dr. George E. Caisse, Mr. Arthur J. Martel presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Eugene and Leger Marcotte, Joseph and Napoleon Soucy, Joseph Gagnon and W. Bonneau. Interment took place in the family lot at St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Gratton, O. M. I., reciting the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

KENT—The funeral of Mrs. Mary

A. Kent, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mines, 25 Manchester street, Monday, took place this morning at 7.30 and proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a high mass of requiem was sung at 8 o'clock by Fr. McDermott, O. M. I. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. The bearers were Patrick J. Mahon, Patrick Farrell, John Ryan and John Blines. Burial took place in the family lot at Quincey, Mass. Funeral Director John F. Rogers in charge.

McCOURT—The funeral of Thomas McCourt took place this morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Gillingham, 31 Runels place, at 8.45 o'clock, and 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church, with Rev. Fr. McGuinness, celebrant, with Rev. Frs. Dancon and Rev. Fr. O'Brien, sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. J. W. McKennedy played the organ. The bearers were Messrs. James Campbell, Patrick Kinnam, William Butler, Patrick Crowe, James McCann and Felix Donnelly. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McGuinness read the final prayers. Friends were present from New York City and Peabody, Mass. Undertaker John J. O'Connell had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

The board of trade has worked hard to secure the great industry that has been prospecting in this vicinity and whose location even close to Lowell will be a great benefit to our city.

We notice that the first day of the superior court session in Lawrence opened Monday, was devoted to naturalization, 121 names being acted upon. Why can we not have similar privileges in Lowell?

It is too bad that we did not know before that Wellesley college wanted cats for dissection as a great number have been sent to the "gas box" during the past two years, there to be asphyxiated. When the season for collecting the dog tax comes, the number of canines is occasionally very large as every police officer is instructed to bring in every dog found on the streets without a collar. The felines introduced to the box are not so numerous, but in the course of a year there would probably be one for every girl at Wellesley, with a lot of kittens thrown in.

OUR EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS

There is a very important educational question before the city council and school board for settlement just at present. It is that of establishing an industrial school and adding to the present high school which is overcrowded.

We are behind most of the other cities of the state in the matter of industrial education and if we are to build a new high school, it might be good policy to devote part of the building to the industrial work. What the industrial school is intended to provide is a course suitable for boys after leaving the grammar school or at the age of fourteen if deemed desirable. There would be instruction in trades concurrently with courses in various branches necessary to intelligent work in the trades taken up. The industrial school does not need to be an expensive building. The Lawrence school is scattered in a number of different buildings, none of which is expensive. The same might be done here, but the addition proposed to the high school would be quite expensive, in fact, needlessly expensive for industrial work.

It would be well, however, for the city council and school board to co-operate so that both problems may be properly solved at the same time. The state board of education has been called in and Commissioner Snedden has stated that the board will give it due consideration in the near future. The board is always ready to advise and to assist municipal bodies in planning for industrial schools and under the law the state will pay half the expense of maintaining such a school when once established. Any industrial school to meet the needs of the people should provide a course suitable for boys leaving the grammar school and one suitable for the boys who have gone to work in the mills, but who could give part of their time day or evening to study in the industrial school. In this way, both schools being free to residents, the best results would be attained.

But before any new high school be erected the whole situation should be carefully considered so that the educational needs of the city, both for high and industrial schools, may be properly met and that we may build for the future as well as the present.

CHILDREN ON THE STAGE

There was a notable demonstration in New York last week under the auspices of the National Alliance for the protection of stage children, when at one performance at the Metropolitan Opera House the sum of \$15,000 was raised. The occasion was signalized by the presence of Augustus Thomas, who made a speech protesting against the law in Massachusetts, Illinois and Louisiana, prohibiting the appearance of children on the stage at night, on the ground that they should not work at night.

Judge Lindsay of the juvenile court of Denver also made a speech endorsing the movement for more freedom in allowing children to appear in dramatic performances at an early age. It was very forcibly shown that the laws which place stage children in the same class with factory operatives and forbid them working at night, are unjust to the children who might appear on the stage, and unjust to theatrical companies who need the children. As a result of the law in Massachusetts and some other states, plays that require children in the cast are not presented, but have to go elsewhere for their patronage.

The law in New York provides that when children appear in such performances they are placed under the care of the Gerry Society so that their moral and physical welfare is thus amply safeguarded not only by the parental obligations imposed but by the vigilance of the society. Similar arrangements could be made in other states so that there would be no prohibition of children appearing at night under proper conditions.

The absurdity of classing such children with those who work in the shops and factories was clearly exposed. It was shown that children who appear on the stage perform no manual labor and that during the day they are usually idle with the exception of the time that they spend in preparation of their parts. The parts taken by children are usually very light, and require only their appearance for a few moments, which are enjoyed by the children fully as much as by the audience.

It has further been urged that many of the famous actors of history made their appearance on the stage in their early childhood, and that if any legal bar be set up against this practice, it may prevent the development of dramatic genius ultimately affecting the standard of our dramatic performances. There is no question whatever as to the feasibility of children appearing on the stage with perfect safety in every sense, especially in stock companies that remain in one place for a lengthy period. Of course, where companies go on the road and play one night stands, it would be almost a cruelty to take along a young child because it could not get the treatment it would require, and we believe that, if there be any restriction placed upon children appearing upon the stage it should be in this particular case alone.

SEEN AND HEARD

If it didn't rain in the country now and then, how in the world would the farmer ever find time to do his indoor work?

A woman is as old as she looks, unless she is a burlesque artist. Then she is older.

The height of folly—ten thousand feet in an aeroplane.

A woman looks up to the man who can dominate her, and generally manages him so that he does exactly as she likes, without his having the least suspicion of it.

Imagine a woman with a new hat and gown going late to church and slipping quietly into a back seat!

A taste for olives can be acquired, of course, but if you cultivate a taste for olives in the members of your own family, you yourself won't get so many olives.

If a man is bald, it doesn't distract attention from his baldness much for him to grow long whiskers.

When a fellow goes to dinner, hoping, praying to be free from the topic of the moment.

He is pretty sure to see to it that four or five distinguished gentlemen talking reciprocity.

Toronto News. And when he goes to supper, hoping, praying to be free from the bunch still prating "Bout Reciprocity."

Some standing up for Uncle Sam and some for Canada.

SUCCESS

What is success? The man who wins is he who puts his purpose through; who finishes what he begins.

As at the first he meant to do, it may not mean that brilliant fame.

Or reputation he has won.

The world may never know his name.

Or even note the thing he's done.

But that's success—to carry through the purpose as it first was planned; to do the thing we mean to do.

Though maybe not with skillful hand, we see examples all the time.

Of this. For instance, here is one: I started out to write this rhyme.

And here, you see, it is all done! Ennerville Journal.

OLD TROUBLES

When you're feeling fine and splendid and you own a cloudless sky.

When your troubles all are ended, and you have no cause to sigh.

Do you ever sit and ponder o'er the worries you have had.

When you're thinking way off yonder, all the things that made you sad.

Do you ever come to think, just to see what worried you.

Ere you found yourself in clover? It's a splendid thing to do.

Call them back for calm reflection, look them over, one and all.

Here is one that caused dejection, and today it seems so small.

Just a while ago you worried over this one, and you vowed.

As upon your way you hurried that you toiled beneath a cloud.

But today that cloud has faded, and you wonder—where you vowed.

Now that you have solved and weighed it—how it ever made you blue.

You can laugh at them this morning.

Here is one that made you fret.

Then you thought, each day was dawning, on a lifetime of regret.

And you let this trifling sorrow weigh you down and make you sad.

And you dreaded the tomorrow, as a fearful thing and bad.

Look it over, that's the trouble that drove all your smiles away.

It's no bigger than a bubble, yet it worried you one day.

There's a lesson in the worries of the past we ought to learn.

In the little griefs and thrills, if to them we'll only turn.

For when our sun is shining, if we'll look them over then.

We're ashamed of our repining, and it trouble comes again.

We can still retain our laughter, still go forward with a smile.

To the good times that come after and the joys that are worth while.

Detroit Free Press.

What are you going to do now with the money that you saved last fall by not buying a fur overcoat?

Comparatively few Americans can

A MYSTERY SOLVED

For years medical men have been seeking a cure for eczema, the most common and most stubborn of skin diseases. Some said it was a blood disease, some said it was the result of indigestion.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

name all the presidents in order, but almost every one knows the name of the president who immediately preceded Taft.

"Votes for women!" reads the placard now. It will be "Vote for women!" next.

Maybe a girl can't throw a stone and come within ten feet of the mark, but every time she throws a kiss it lands just where she aimed it.

PRINCE LUITPOLD

Is the Oldest European Ruler

NUREMBERG, Bavaria, March 8.—Prince Luitpold, the regent of Bavaria, who is the oldest monarch in Europe, celebrates his ninetieth birthday on March 12. The prince is regent for

his nephew, the insane King Otto. The prince regent is very popular with the general public, and it will celebrate his ninetieth birthday by holding dances and festivals.

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Mr. Bryan argued for the Canadian reciprocity measure, declaring that it would mean the end of the republican party and reciprocity principles if the measure was not finally adopted.

The recall initiative and referendum were taken up in order and the effect of the application of these principles in western centers was described and their adoption by eastern states advocated. The popular election of United States senators also received a share of Mr. Bryan's attention.

In closing, Mr. Bryan said that he would not again be a candidate for the presidency.

Gov. Foss presided at the meeting and introduced Mr. Bryan.

CHURCH TRUSTEES

ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION OF REV. DR. AKED

NEW YORK, March 8.—The Rev. Charles F. Aked has resigned the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church and will accept the call to the First Congregational church of San Francisco. His resignation, effective April 9th, was accepted by the board of trustees yesterday, after Dr. Aked had explained briefly, in line with his announcement of last Sunday, that he saw no great future for his efforts here.

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BURNED TO DEATH

WOMEN WERE TRAPPED IN THEIR HOME

LEWISTON, Me., March 8.—Trapped in their own home by a fire which had gained great headway before they were awakened, Salome Townsend, 51, and her niece, Elanora Townsend, 67, who lived together at East Sumner, a remote town in Oxford county, were burned to death Sunday night. News of the affair reached here yesterday.

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Mr. Bryan argued for the Canadian reciprocity measure, declaring that it would mean the end of the republican party and reciprocity principles if the measure was not finally adopted.

The recall initiative and referendum were taken up in order and the effect of the application of these principles in western centers was described and their adoption by eastern states advocated. The popular election of United States senators also received a share of Mr. Bryan's attention.

In closing, Mr. Bryan said that he would not again be a candidate for the presidency.

Gov. Foss presided at the meeting and introduced Mr. Bryan.

CHURCH TRUSTEES

ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION OF REV. DR. AKED

NEW YORK, March 8.—The Rev. Charles F. Aked has resigned the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church and will accept the call to the First Congregational church of San Francisco. His resignation, effective April 9th, was accepted by the board of trustees yesterday, after Dr. Aked had explained briefly, in line with his announcement of last Sunday, that he saw no great future for his efforts here.

AFTER 7 YEARS SUFFERING

I Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Waukegan, Ill.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different things but did me no good. I got so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and in a short time I had gained my average weight and am now strong and well."—Mrs. SALLIE STEVENS, R.F.D., No. 3, Box 31, Waukegan, Ill.

Another Grateful Woman.

Huntington, Mass.—"I was in a nervous, run down condition and for three years could find no help. I owe my present good health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier which I both have saved my life. My doctor knows what helped me and does not say any word against it."—Mrs. MARY JANETTE BATES, Box 134, Huntington, Mass.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, and nervous prostration.

BURNED TO DEATH

WOMEN WERE TRAPPED IN THEIR HOME

LEWISTON, Me., March 8.—Trapped in their own home by a fire which had gained great headway before they were awakened, Salome Townsend, 51, and her niece, Elanora Townsend, 67, who lived together at East Sumner, a remote town in Oxford county, were burned to death Sunday night. News of the affair reached here yesterday.

SPRUCE EDGINGS

Thoroughly dry Spruce Edgings in \$1.00 and \$2.00 loads. Nothing as good for quick cooking and kindling other fuels. Prompt delivery. Telephone 1180 and 2480. When one is busy call the other.

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From Tyceddale on the river Tweed, are ideal auto garments. Long, loose, boxy coats, made with silk shoulders, cravenetted so they'll shed water—these coats are new, not only new in Lowell, but new in America—oxford grays and tans. \$32

Spring Overcoats of handsome Oxford grays and gray twills in soft wool goods—quiet, gentlemanly garments. \$15 to \$22

Spring Overcoats of dignified black Thibets—black that will hold the color under the strongest sun—all with silk sleeves, some silk lined and faced to the edge. \$10 to \$30

Fancy Spring Overcoatings, cravenetted coats and textures that are waterproofed \$10 to \$25

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From the best authorities. Wide brims or curl, Stetson's full stiff or flexible. English Lustras and 'Tweens. \$3 and \$3.50

SAME VARIETY of new shapes in our Special Derbies—warranted not to break or fade. \$2.00

GLIDDEN TOUR

To be Prince Henry of America

Another tour for the Glidden trophy with new features enough to make it utterly unlike any previous excursion for the much contested vase is promised if the plans being made by A. R. Pardington go through. Not only is it assured that the Glidden of 1911 will be the greatest in point of numbers that ever has been held but it will be considerably shorter. And besides the contesting cars very probably there will be a number of other machines. A Glidden tour is like, "so that very likely there will be nothing short of sixty cars making the run."

Furthermore, if the plans are followed out, the run from Washington to Ottawa will have six days of touring and one of hill climbing contests, and the journey will be chartered so that it will cover only 1200 miles, of which 50 per cent. will be fine roads. This tour will go from Washington to Baltimore and then to Philadelphia, striking east through New Jersey and then up to New York. From New York it will go up the Hudson into Canada, not with the detour to the New England states it was at first thought the tour would follow.

The Manufacturers Contest Association, or rather those members of it who want a Glidden tour and will compete in it, believe that because of the peculiarly opposite moment for this state-dominion tour members either of the signal or engineering corps of the United States army should be appointed as observers. With this object in view and also to learn some other things, Mr. Pardington will go soon to Washington.

With federal and dominion sanction for the tour, it will come nearer to being called the Reciprocity Run than the Glidden tour. The manufacturers believe it is the psychological moment for such an international event, and they are sure it will be a success if the plans carry through.

But one point appears to be settled and that is there will be another Glidden tour, greater than ever before and designed to be over in less time than ever previously. As a distinct feature it will be held over good roads, which probably not many will object, although perhaps the Spartans will say that a tour of this sort isn't a test worthy the traditions of the Glidden.

Another feature of the Glidden tour this year, it is explained, will be that the pathfinder, the pace-maker and the pilot cars will not be provided by any company. They will all be privately owned machines and already

have been pledged for those purposes. The Glidden of 1911 will be the Prince Henry tour of America.

ABRAHAM RUEF

FORMER POLITICAL LEADER GOES TO PRISON

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Having exhausted every legal resource in a three year struggle to escape the penitentiary, Abraham Ruef, former political leader in San Francisco, was taken yesterday to San Quentin prison to begin a 14-year term for bribery of supervisors during the regime of Mayor Eugene F. Schmitz.

RASH SO BAD BABY

CAME NEAR DYING

Head Broke Out. Spread to Arms, Legs and Entire Body. Itched So He Would Scratch Until Blood Ran. One Box of Cuticura Ointment and Nearly One Cake of Cuticura Soap Cured Him. Has Had No Return.

"When my boy was about three months old, his head broke out with a rash which was very itchy and ran a watery fluid. We tried everything we could but he got worse all the time, till it spread to his arms, legs and then to his entire body. He got so bad that he came near dying. The rash would itch so that he would scratch till the blood ran, and a thin yellowish stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put soap on his hands to prevent him tearing his skin. He was so weak and run down that he took fainting spells as if he were dying. He was almost a skeleton and his little hands were thin like claws."

"He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long while. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and put on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was so soothed that he could sleep. You don't know how glad I was he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment and pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap to cure him. I think our boy would have died but for the Cuticura Remedies and I shall always remain a firm friend of them. He was cured more than twenty years ago, and there has been no return of the trouble. I shall be glad to have you publish this true statement of his cure." (Signed) Mrs. M. C. Mailand, Jasper, Ontario, May 27, 1910.

Cuticura Remedies afford the most economical treatment for affections of the skin and scalp of infants, children and adults. A cake of Cuticura Soap (25c) and a box of Cuticura Ointment (50c) are often sufficient. Sold throughout the world. Send to Foster Drug & Chem. Corp., sole props., Boston, for free book on the treatment of skin eruptions.

CITY SOLICITOR

Does Not Define "Reasonable Time" for Joint Convention

He Leaves the Question to the City Council — Three Grand Jurors Selected for the March Session of the U. S. District Court

City Solicitor Duncan's opinion as to what constitutes a "reasonable time" for the holding of a joint convention was read at the regular meeting of the board of aldermen last night. The opinion was about as vague as the order that called for it, but in view of the fact that the dodgers in the lower board are republicans and the city solicitor a republican the latter used the soft pedal and took occasion to remark that some years ago a joint convention was held in the month of August.

Quite a list of routine business was transacted at the meeting. Chairman Gallagher called to order at 8:25 o'clock. All members were present. A hearing on the petition of the Lowell Electric company for a pole location in Princeton street, opposite Edison street, was read and referred to the committee on wires.

Notices of personal injury were read and referred to the committee on claims. A communication from no less a personage than the president of the United States was read. The communication had to do with the drawing of three grand jurors for the March session of the district court of the United States to be held in Boston. The chair called upon Alderman Flanagan to draw three names from the box and the following were drawn: Theodore Ehrlich, 37 Hull street, laborer.

Joseph Carrier, 2 Dracut street, clerk. Shepard W. Shaw, 14 D street, salesman.

A communication from the state board of education concerning the receipt of a communication from the city council relative to the establishment of an industrial school in this city was read and ordered on file in the city clerk's office.

A petition to accept Lowell street from Reservoir street to First street, was referred to the committee on streets.

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The monthly report of the board of health was read and ordered on file.

A petition for the laying of a sewer in Glenwood street from the proposed sewer in Butman road was referred to the committee on sewers.

A petition for one gas light at the corner of Cumberland road and Fisher street was referred to the committee on street lighting.

The following near opinion by the city solicitor relative to a joint convention, was read:

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell, Mass., March 7, 1911. Board of Aldermen, Lowell, Mass.

Gentlemen: The city clerk has transmitted to me the following vote of your honorable body:

"That the city solicitor be asked for an opinion in regard to the city council going into joint convention for the purpose of electing a city clerk and city treasurer and collector of taxes."

It is provided by section 17 of the city charter that "the city council shall annually, as soon after their organization as may be convenient, meet in convention and elect by joint ballot a city clerk and a city treasurer and collector of taxes."

I assume, from your question that you desire a construction of this statute.

In my opinion, "as soon as may be convenient" is a question of fact for the board of aldermen and common council to determine among themselves, having in mind at all times the best interests of the city.

If the city's interests are jeopardized because the offices of city clerk and city treasurer are not at present legally, properly and efficiently administered then "as soon as may be convenient" means as soon as the city council can possibly get together regardless of their own personal convenience.

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The weighty document was ordered on file.

W. W. Richardson, Jr., of 213 Pawtucket street, petitioned for a license as a private detective. The petition was referred to the committee on licenses. Aldermen Toupin, Barrett and Connor.

The following communication from the board of railroad commissioners was read:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Board of Railroad Commissioners, 20 Beacon Street, Boston. March 2, 1911.

Mr. Girard P. Dandman, City Clerk, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find copy of the order of the board authorizing the Boston and Northern street railway company to act as a common carrier of baggage and freight in various places, including your city.

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MILITARY NIGHT

At the Big Automobile Show in Boston

BOSTON, March 8.—Military night last evening at the automobile show, Mechanics building and Horticultural hall, was the most successful event, as far as numbers of people go, since the opening of the show last Saturday.

Governor Eugene Noble Foss, members of his staff and thousands of commissioned officers from the regular army stationed in the state and officers from the various volunteer organizations lent a spell to the show that few visitors could resist. The result was that fully 10,000 people attended the show last night.

Hundreds of handsomely gowned women graced the occasion and showed by their intelligent questions as they threaded their way among the cars in the mammoth exhibit that it is at present the talk of the town that the day has passed when automobiles knowledge is the property of men only.

Many of the women were purchasers, also, of the fine business which began the day the show opened kept up during the evening.

Motor car manufacturers, who have made the present ninth annual automobile show of the New England Automobile Dealers' association a wonderful success, feel that the great crowds attending the show mean more than a good season to the automobile industry. This veteran manufacturer says that it means that the present auto show has come at the crucial moment, when the tide of business is turning toward real prosperity. They prophesy a great business boom in the eastern part of the country, of which the automobile show is a sure indication.

The oldest automobile experts say that the conditions at the auto show indicate a marvelous business awakening which is due to come in every business. Optimism in business and the return of confidence in commercial credit they say is in part responsible for this.

There are 25,000 tons of freight moved every day in Boston, according to Haydon Eames, general manager of the Garford company. "This shows the possibilities of the motor truck," said Mr. Eames. "There is the greatest future in store for it."

"The position of the company I represent is to develop this product. We have been making chassis for seven years, being the first company in the country to copy a French car. We have a standard product."

"The motor truck was as economical ten years ago as it is today. The same incredible fact it is really so. The trouble was people didn't understand how to operate to get the best results. I predict that there will be a wonderful development of the motor truck in the next four years."

The motor truck and commercial car exhibit at the present auto show seems to prove Munger Eames' statement. There are 77 different makes of these cars, gas and electric. They appeal to the business men who are attending the show, and many sales are being made at Mechanics building and Horticultural hall, where the variety of car is being shown.

LOSS IS \$5000

Fire Caused by Defective Wiring

BOSTON, March 8.—Patrolman Maurice Driscoll of the Court square station was standing at Franklin and Arch streets at 10:10 o'clock last evening when a heavy explosion in the five-story building at that spot gave notice of a fire within. As the flames burst out, Driscoll ran to box 45 on Federal street and pulled an alarm.

A brisk fire in the basement poured out great volumes of smoke.

The building is numbered 72 and 74 Franklin street and 47 Arch street. The Hotel and Railroad News company occupies the building on the street and basement floors at 74 Franklin street, corner of Arch. Brown's news agency occupies that part of the building having an entrance at 47 Arch street.

The fire originated in the basement on the Arch street side, caused, it was thought, by defective electric wires. The heat explosion blew out the windows.

Chief Mullen and Deputy Chief Grady were soon on hand. Grady went into the basement with a detail of men. All the windows and fire shutters were opened. A detail of firemen worked in the rear in Hawley place and within an hour the fire was extinguished.

The loss to the furnishings and stock in the basement is estimated to be within \$5000.

William Brown fell from Ladder

William Brown employed as foreman at the Lowell Shoe Co., in Stackpole street met with a serious accident this morning while at his work.

Brown was engaged at some kind of work and was standing on a step ladder about 7:37 o'clock this morning, when he suddenly lost his balance and fell on the floor. The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where it was found that he was suffering from a fractured rib. His home is at 147 Fayette street.

EX-BOSS RUEF

Has His Face Set to Future

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Abo Ruef, former boss of San Francisco, on his way to state prison yesterday under a sentence of 14 years, declared that his face was set to the future and his back "resolutely to the past."

His statement in part follows: "I do not, by any means, underestimate the horror and hardship before me. Yet I am confident that my spirit can rise above any situation which may confront me. Whatever I am set to do I will do cheerfully and to the best of my ability. My face will be to the future and my back resolutely to the past. Whether the time be short or long, if I survive with health not entirely broken, when I am through I will return to San Francisco. I will not run away from the past and I am certain that at any rate there will still be before me a life of credit and honor. My conscience is clear. I have been unfairly dealt with, and in the end this will be conclusively proven."

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

The following Lowell and nearby people will receive Regal cars this month: J. P. Foster, C. P. Chaso and John Robbins of Lowell, Dr. Edward Clark of Andover, Edward Wright of Chelmsford and John Marshall of South Billerica. These were all sold through the Bridge Street garage. There are prospects of many more orders during the next few weeks. This car is popular in price and economical in maintenance.

COMMERCIAL CONGRESS

ATLANTA, Ga., March 8.—Two thousand business men from the south had arrived here this morning when the opening session of the Commercial Congress was called together by President John Parker of New Orleans. At the bidding were northern business men who had come to this meeting to hear of the progress the south has made "since the war."

Among the northern visitors will be President Taft, Theodore Roosevelt and several cabinet officers.

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MANY DELEGATES

At Universalist Church Conference

The Merrimack Valley conference of Universalist churches opened in the First Universalist church in Hurd street this forenoon. The Merrimack valley conference includes Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua and Methuen.

Rev. C. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Universalist church, was unable to remain for the conference. He went to Brockton to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Douglas, wife of ex-Governor Douglas. Mr. Fisher is a close friend of the Douglas family.

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president of the conference, presided and the speaker of the forenoon was Rev. Charles Conklin, D. D., of Boston. The afternoon speakers were Rev. A. W. Carr of South Framingham, and Rev. W. H. Morrison of Nashua. Mr. Carr gave a very interesting talk on the boy scout movement and Mr. Morrison spoke on the "Charity Patient."

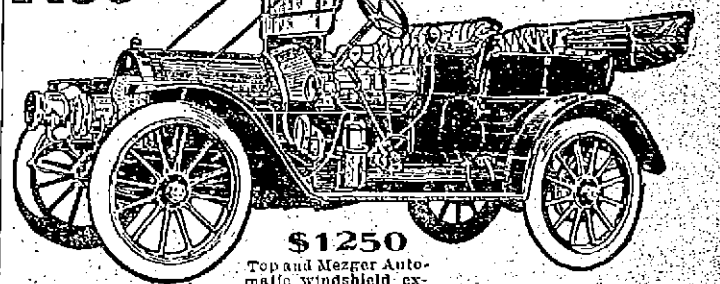
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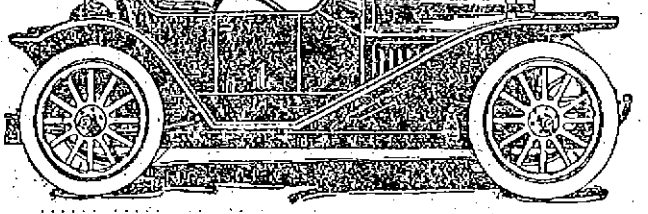
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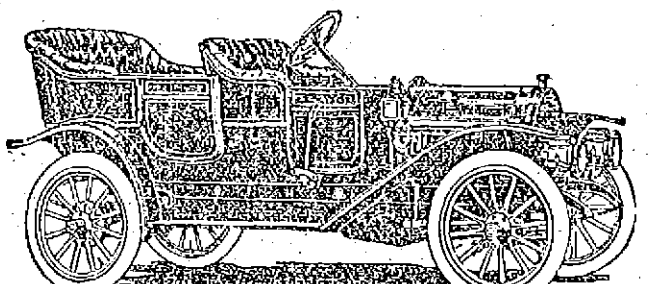
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REGAL 30.

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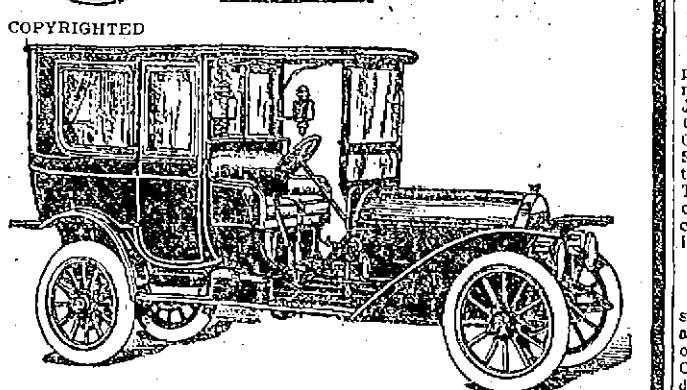
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JOSEPH ESTOFF AT MOODY SCHOOL ARMY MOVEMENT

Sues for Prayers for Movement to Beautify His Brother School Grounds

GENERAL DUNCAN

MAKING PREPARATIONS TO RECEIVE THE TROOPS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 8.—If army officers at Fort Sam Houston have any information other than that generally told in press despatches regarding the concentration of troops on the Mexican border they are guarding it closely.

"We only know that we have been ordered to prepare for the mobilization of a large body of troops at San Antonio and are going ahead, regardless of what it means," explained General Duncan, commanding the department of Texas.

As to the purpose of it all, however, are plentiful. General Duncan's first order after receiving his instructions from Washington was to appoint First Lieut. George Roselle of the 23d infantry, acting aide de camp, with Lieut. Resolute H. Palmer, this general's second aide. Next he recalled Major W. H. Scott, his adjutant general who is in North Texas attending the funeral of his father. Other orders recalled troops on detached service. Field day exercises set for today were called off and officers who were to exhibit their horses in the Texas horse show circuit have cancelled their engagements.

Preparations for the reception of the troops continued through last night and today are nearing completion.

700 MARINES

TO SAIL ON THE PHILADELPHIA THIS AFTERNOON

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 8.—Seven hundred marines, fully equipped for any service, will sail south from the Philadelphia navy yard late this afternoon on the transport Prairie and will be followed by a like number tomorrow on the transport Dixie. The order from Washington ordering the marines to mobilize in this city gives the destination of the two transports as Guantanamo but many believe that these orders may be changed and that the marines may be landed at a Texas port and sent overland to the Mexican border to take part in the practice life soon to be inaugurated there. If the marines go to Cuba they will arrive about the time the Atlantic fleet departs from Hampton Roads for spring practice. The marines who will sail on the Dixie tomorrow are arriving here today from Norfolk, Annapolis, New York and other marine centers along the Atlantic coast. Nearly all of the detachments ordered by the Prairie will be from the Philadelphia navy yard.

COL. MURRAY

ORDERED TO HOLD TROOPS IN READINESS

COLUMBUS, O., March 8.—Col. C. F. Murray, commander of the Columbus barracks, one of the latest recruiting stations in the country, received orders today from the war department to hold troops in readiness to go to the Mexican border.

TROOPS DELAYED

OWING TO WASHOUTS ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Owing to washouts on the coast line of the Southern Pacific railway, the Twentieth and Eighty-first regiments of infantry were delayed last night in getting away for the Mexican border. The Eighth was brought to this city from Monterey and it was nearly midnight before the second section of their special got away from Oakland for the south. The Fourth provisional regiment, made up of twelve companies of

IN OUR MILL-END Wall Paper Sale

The prices have been cut so substantially that in many instances they represent the net price that dealers have to pay for them. For instance, on Thursday we are selling 50 rolls of the Blue Granite on heavy paper at only 40c per roll, suitable for back halls and kitchen. 50 rolls of 35c washable paper for bath rooms at only 12c per roll. It is good policy to call early.

SPR. WINDOWS—
NELSON'S DEPT. STORE
"BIGGEST DISTRIBUTORS OF WALL PAPERS IN LOWELL"

TRIAL OF CAMORRISTS

VITERBO, Italy, March 8.—Although the trial of the camorristi will not open until Saturday, already thousands of visitors are here, drawn by the unusual event.

Several times a day the jailers test the iron bars of the windows of the medieval monastery of Gradi, where the accused, with the exception of two, are imprisoned and a strong force of carabinieri scrutinize the throngs that visit the place. The Gradi is a gloomy structure. Thirty-nine of the prisoners are confined here. The spy accuser, Abbatemaggio, and Maria Stenardo, wife of one of the alleged actual assassins of Cucco and his wife, are kept in San Luparo prison. More witnesses arrived today. They are being closely guarded.

THE SEATTLE ELECTION

SEATTLE, Wash., March 8.—Slow headway is being made in counting the ballots cast in yesterday's municipal election. Returns from the precincts counted up to an early hour today indicate that the proposition to issue \$800,000 bonds to construct and operate a municipal owned street railway on a north and south trunk highway was carried by an overwhelming majority. It is certain that a reform council has been elected by the new body of nine members, the so-called liberal candidates having been left hopelessly behind.

coast artillery is at Presidio, ready to march at a moment's notice.

FORT SHERIDAN

SOLDIERS READY FOR THE WORK TO START

CHICAGO, March 8.—Fifteen hundred men at Fort Sheridan are waiting for the word to start mobilization that will send them to the Mexican border. Ever since the insurrection broke out, in fact, the soldiers at the post have been held in readiness for immediate departure. No orders relative to the matter had been received early today and preparations had been maintained solely on the basis of newspaper reports. But it is stated that the whole force could be on its way south within three or four hours from the time trains were available.

One reason for the preparedness of the Fort Sheridan troops is that the Twenty-seventh infantry is the first regiment in line for foreign service.

LONDON "POL"

IN THE DARK AS TO MEANING OF ARMY MOVEMENT

LONDON, March 8.—The mobilization of an American army at the Mexican frontier has excited great interest on the part of London politicians and commercial interests but all are still in the dark as to whether the movement is for political or purely military reasons.

The foreign office denies that the British government suggested the action taken by Washington but the officials speak in such diplomatic terms that their statements are not necessarily convincing.

There is little doubt expressed by the public and the newspapers that the political situation in Mexico caused President Taft's strong move but it is questioned whether this government had any share in the matter. So far as any extension of the power of the United States on that continent is concerned, it is doubtful if such an outcome would be popular with the British public just at this time. The talk of the future annexation of Canada has created a prejudice on this side and this prejudice is just as strong against the political expansion of the United States generally at the present time.

Dealings in American securities today indicated that the stock exchange did not consider that the general security of the country was seriously threatened. Mexican bonds remained unchanged, as did Southern Ry. shares. Mexican Ry. securities ordinarily fell 2 1/2 points, first pfd. 1 1/2, and second pfd. 1 1/2. These have always been of a speculative character. Mexican National Ry. shares, which dropped several points recently, fell off 1/2 today.

MAJOR ROLFE

ORDERED TO PROCEED TO TEXAS AT ONCE

BOSTON, March 8.—Major Robert Rolfe, deputy quartermaster for the United States army in New England, received orders this forenoon directing him to proceed at once to Texas and report to Major General Carter for service as chief quartermaster of one of the brigades in the field. Major Rolfe will leave for the south either tonight or tomorrow morning. He is a native of New Hampshire and has been chief quartermaster during the military manoeuvres at Fort Riley, Kas.

The cruiser Des Moines, which arrived a few days ago at the Boston navy yard under orders to go out of commission, was today directed by the navy department to sail for southern waters on Friday next.

ARMORED CRUISERS

HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO PROCEED TO SAN PEDRO

SEATTLE, Wash., March 8.—The armored cruisers West Virginia and Maryland, now in the harbor, received orders yesterday to go to Puget Sound navy yard today to coal and then proceed to San Pedro.

NOT A HITCH

IN THE MOVEMENT OF THE TROOPS.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Tele-

grams are pouring into the headquarters of the army showing that the movement of troops to the southern frontier is proceeding with the smoothness and regularity of clockwork. More than one hundred telegrams already have been received and the celerity with which the orders have been carried out, it is said in military quarters, would give the impression that the movement was an everyday occurrence.

Not a hitch has been encountered and practically the entire force of 20,000 men is now en route to the lower part of Texas and California. The troops are equipped with ball cartridges, although it is the invariable practice to supply troops with blank ammunition for practice exercises on peaceful manoeuvres. Notwithstanding this, however, official Washington still maintains that the movement is merely a plan of practice to determine the efficiency of the fighting army of the country in mobilizing and concentrating on short notice. While this is held to be true, technically the general impression prevails that the sudden and extensive military activity has a vital and direct relation to the revolutionary movement in Mexico. The reluctance of officials of the state, war and navy departments is accentuating this impression. The idea which is generally accepted, even in the fact of the official government, that no significance should be attached to the movement, is that the government of the United States is preparing for an eventually that may develop connected with the revolt against President Diaz.

The orders to the troops stationed at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., have depleted that post and the war department today ordered one battalion to care for that station. This was the only additional order for the movement of soldiers issued today by General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army.

The navy department continued its preparations today for the dispatch of the fifth division of the Atlantic fleet and the large detachment of marines and the large detachment of marines to Guantanamo, Cuba. The marines are being assembled at Philadelphia on the Dixie and Prairie. The men with their accoutrements and supplies, are reaching the Pennsylvania port in perfect order and smoothness.

The four armored cruisers of the fifth division under Rear-Admiral Stanton are being supplied with their full complement of blue jackets. The division are being filled promptly from the enlisted force of the navy and the complements of the ships will be complete before the ships sail, which probably will be in a few days.

TENTH INFANTRY

DELAYED IN ITS DEPARTURE FOR TEXAS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 8.—With haversacks packed and everything ready as it for war, the Tenth infantry, stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, was delayed in its departure for Fort Sam Houston, Texas, by the failure to get sufficient railroad transportation. It was not expected to get the last section away from the fort until after 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Tenth, under command of Colonel H. A. Greene, was ready to start last night. Ten days' field rations have been issued for each company and three days' "travel rations" for the trip. Two hundred rounds of ball ammunition have been issued, which, together with the other equipment, will give each soldier about 100 pounds to carry.

The equipment of the Tenth consists of 135 horses and mules, three ambulances, 15 escort wagons, and the machine guns of the Third battalion.

BODY OF MARINES

UNDER ORDERS TO START FOR CUBA

BALTIMORE, Md., March 8.—A body of marines numbering 175 men under command of Capt. Leo left Annapolis this morning for Philadelphia, where they are under orders to board the transport Dixie for Cuba.

At Forts Howard and Melleny, the artillery posts comprising the Baltimore district, all is in readiness to dispatch troops to the south on short notice. One company from each post is prepared for the service.

"Tom Ed" Smith, the well known foreman of the street department, is wearing the smile that won't come off as the result of the birth of a daugh-

Lowell, Wednesday, March 8, 1911

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At 50c a Yard—You may choose from such weaves as Nun's Veilings, Granite, Surah Serges and Albatross. All wool, 34 inches wide, 34 shades and colors to choose from, including cream and black. 50c yard

At 75c a Yard—French Batiste, Wool Taffetas, Serges and Mohairs, in all the staple and new spring shades such as navy, golden brown, green, cinnamon, fernwood, fuchsia, delft, cream and black. 44 inches wide. 75c yard

At \$1.00 a Yard—Cream Ground Serge with Black Stripe, Black with White, Navy with White Stripe, Epingle, Wool Taffeta, Amure, French Serge, Batiste and Prunellas in staples and new spring shades of sandalwood, admiral, bamboo, old rose, delft, blonde, cream and black. 45 inches wide. \$1.00 yard

A Full Line of Checks—In black and white, blue and white, blue and green, slate and white, tan and white, in prices ranging from 50c to \$1.50 a yard

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- FLANNELETTE—Good heavy Printed Flannelette in remnants for kimono, 10c value. Thursday special, yard 5c
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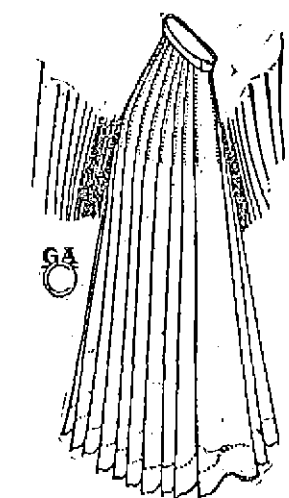
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- \$7.50 SKIRTS—10 styles in chiffon Panama, French serge, shepherd checks, new straight effect. \$5.00



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- \$12.95 You can buy Suits that will be \$17.50 two weeks hence, navy, tan, reseda, gray and black.
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- NEW SPRING WAISTS, NEW SPRING DRESSES Alterations Free.

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STATE OFFICIALSHere to Inquire Into Needs of
Industrial SchoolBoard of Education Will Consider
the Lowell Situation at Its Meet-
ing Next Friday Evening

Mr. Prosser, deputy commissioner of the state board of education, with one of the board's inspectors, visited Lowell today to inquire into the demands for an industrial school. Various mill agents, school principals and members of the city council were interviewed in regard to the situation. The result of their inquiries will be laid before the board of education at its meeting on Friday night.

Mr. Prosser is the board's expert on industrial education and he has visited most of the cities in the state to investigate the conditions. The board is willing to cooperate with the school authorities in Lowell or with the city council in establishing an industrial school in this city to provide courses for boys leaving the grammar and also the high school.

DEFENSE WINS STATE SENATE

In the Baldwin Will Passed Bill Over Gov-
ernor's Veto

LOS ANGELES, March 8.—At the conclusion of the arguments in the Baldwin case at noon today Judge Rives announced that as the evidence adduced "fell far short of making out a case for the plaintiff," he would instruct the jury to return a verdict in favor of the defense.

This ends the contest brought by Miss Anita Baldwin Turnbull, the 17-year-old Boston girl, for a daughter's share in the \$11,000,000 estate left by the late E. J. ("Lucky") Baldwin.

SORTING CONTEST

At the Local Post
Office Today

The postoffice authorities are in search of statistics having to do with the delivery of mail in this and other cities. The statistics will include the approximate number of miles covered each day, the average calls per day, the possible total calls, the distance covered from the office to the beginning of the delivery routes and how much of the distance is covered on foot and how much by electric cars. The questions asked include the sorting of mail matter and a sorting contest was inaugurated at the local postoffice this forenoon. One man sorted 100 pieces in three minutes.

MAJOR PATTERSON

ORDERED TO PROCEED AT ONCE
TO SAN ANTONIO

BOSTON, March 8.—Orders were received this afternoon directing Major Robert U. Patterson, surgeon in charge of the artillery district of Boston, with headquarters at Fort Banks, to proceed at once to San Antonio, where he is to organize and take charge of a field hospital. Both Major Patterson and Major Riffe expected to leave Boston for Texas tonight.

THE COMMISSION

FOR NEW POSTMASTER HAS NOT
ARRIVED YET

Postmaster Joseph A. Legare has not as yet assumed his new duties at the local postoffice. He expected his commission last night, but for some reason or other it has not arrived. The papers will probably come tonight, and if they do the new postmaster will go on duty tomorrow.

Old Colds

Do not know what to take? Then why not find out? Your doctor knows. Leave it all to him. If he says, "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral," then take it. If he says something else, take that. Lowell, Mass.

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AUTOS COLLIDED
Man Was Crushed to
Death

BOSTON, March 8.—Charles Buonanno, aged 50, married, living on Kneeland street, was crushed to death at the corner of Columbus avenue and Berkeley street this morning when two automobiles collided.

The auto of one breaking, tipped the heavy car over on the nose.

The accident happened at 12:30 this morning. A big limousine, number 0110E, owned by the Bascom Renting company, and driven by Roy H. Perkins, 19, of 11 Lapham street, Medford, containing two men and two women, and going toward Postbury at a high rate of speed, collided with a touring car when opposite the Youth's Companion building.

The touring car was owned by the Whitton-Gilmore company and was numbered 953D. It was driven by Harold D. Jacobs, 19, of 38 Ashmont street.

The touring car was going west on Berkeley street and, according to bystanders, young Jacobs attempted to cut in front of the Bascom car, when his car was struck about the middle.

This forced the Bascom car back on to the edge of the sidewalk, both cars spinning around. At the same time the Bascom car came to the sidewalk, the right wheel broke off and the car fell on Buonanno, crushing him to death. A man and a woman were in the touring car.

Some of the others in either car were hurt. Both chauffeurs are held by the police pending an investigation. The other occupants of the cars walked away without giving their names.

Buonanno was employed in a bowling alley on Massachusetts avenue.

RECIPROCITY

Will Not Injure British
Interests

LONDON, March 8.—Ambassador Bryce's report to the foreign office on the subject of the United States-Canadian reciprocity negotiations was issued in a White paper this evening. The most interesting communication is under date of Jan. 22, the day following the conclusion of the agreement.

In this the British diplomat says: "As at present advised, I am disposed to believe that British interests are not, to any appreciable extent, prejudiced. No opportunity was lost in the course of the negotiations of reminding the Canadian ministers of the regard which the British government has for their interests and the importance of the fact that a high tariff will be between contiguous countries, whose products are economically interchangeable, an injury to both and supposed to sound fatal principles. No more in Canada than in the republics of Latin America, to which the United States government has sought to extend its Pan-American propaganda, does there seem a likelihood that the freer interchange of commodities will lead to closer relations of a political kind."

TRIBUTE PAID

TO MEMORY OF LATE MISS FLORA
MOFFITT

The following tribute to the memory of the late Miss Flora J. Moffitt was by one who was associated with her for many years:

"The late Miss Flora J. Moffitt was for more than a score of years a teacher in the Highland school. Throughout all these years she remained loyal to her professional training and to the high ideals implanted by the Rhode Island state normal school, in which institution she was prepared for her work. Miss Moffitt firmly believed that the best and truest kindness to her pupils was to lead them to know thoroughly whatever subject they studied, to awaken in them a desire not to be content with a perfunctory performance of their tasks, and to make them self-reliant and independent. Devoted to her chosen vocation, painstaking in all her efforts, persistent in the endeavor to inculcate the virtues of obedience, promptness, and cheerful compliance with all school duties, she gave the best that was in her to those committed to her charge. In her passing the school and the community lose a faithful servant, and her pupils a friend ever interested in their welfare."

DEAL CALLED OFF

BALTIMORE, Md., March 8.—Manager Dunn of the Baltimore Eastern league baseball club yesterday was notified by Manager "Mike" Kelly of the St. Paul American Association club that the deal for the transfer to St. Paul of Third Baseman Hall of the local club had been called off.

Don't Let
Grass Grow

Under your feet in the middle of the road nor in your coke or coal bin. Are you scraping in the dust and dirt for pieces of fuel? Is all gone or nearly so? Well there's a reason. It has been a long winter and though we hate to say it—there's more to come. As the winter lengthens out we must extend the fuel supply. One more load before real spring. Keep warm, keep strong, keep well. Coke is cheaper than any medicine heat one buys by the bottle.

LOWELL GAS LIGHT CO.

ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE WILLARD L. METCALF

Held an Adjourned Meeting Lowell Man Wins Honors at
This Afternoon Academy of Fine Arts

The committee on accounts met in the office of the city auditor shortly after the noon hour today and went over the bills held up at the meeting of the committee, held Monday night. A big raft of bills was held up at that meeting and all were passed to-day with the exception of the following: A plumbing bill of \$143.71, presented by M. J. Mullaney. The price of one item in this bill, a 2 by 4, was held to be excessive. The price was \$6.70 and it was passed by the superintendent of lands and buildings. The committee said that the price should have been 55 cents.

The bill of Will J. Sandow of \$200 for consultation relative to the new pump for the Centralville pumping station was also held to be excessive

and the committee allowed that the water board should scale it down.

A bill of \$7.30 for a pencil sharpener for the wire department was held up on the ground that the sharpener was not needed in that department.

The bill of \$200 by Collins & Hogan for appraising land on the boulevard wanted by the water department for new wells was considered excessive and the committee said it was up to the water department to trim it a bit.

The bill for \$40 for a boy's tuition at the industrial school in Lawrence was held up on the ground that the boy did not have a residence in this city.

In the absence of Ald. Barrett, Councilman Fulton was made temporary chairman.

EVENING HIGH SCHOOL

Graduating Exercises Will be Held
Next Wednesday Evening

The Lowell evening high school will close Friday evening and the graduating exercises will be held next Wednesday evening, one week from today. Principal Thomas G. Robbins has completed the program for the graduation exercises.

The speaker of the evening will be Dr. Charles Prosser, deputy superintendent of the state board of education and he will talk on "Industrial Education." Dr. Prosser spoke on this subject in Colonial hall a few weeks ago and those who heard him will be anxious to hear him again. He is thoroughly acquainted with his subject and knows how to get at it so that others will understand.

Principal Robbins will preside and the diplomas will be presented to the graduates by Mayor McLean. Music will be furnished by Hibbard's orchestra, Danie Lavigneur, director, and the Bartlett School Glee club.

Catherine Gertrude Walworth will be the salutatorian, and George McCreedy, valedictorian.

The class motto for 1911 is "Success is the reward of labor." The class officers are: John Henry Winters, president; John Joseph Hurley, vice president; Mary Agnes Tobin, secretary; Esther Frances Woolley, treasurer.

Following is the list of graduates:

Lee, Mary Agnes.
Lynch, Mary E.
McAllister, Jennie Veronica.
Montgomery, Rose Vereduna.
Muldren, Katherine Gertrude.
Mullen, Della Matilda.
Murray, Etta Elizabeth.
Nelson, Mary Catherine.
O'Brien, Marie Elizabeth.
Palm, Anna Josephine.
Perron, Emma Anna.
Powers, Helen Veronica.
Rochelle, Helena Mary Ann.
Ryan, Mary Agnes.
Sheehan, Catherine E.
Smith, Marion.
Steele, Mabel Etta.
Swanson, Hannah.
Tarpey, Margaret Frances.
Walworth, Catherine Gertrude.
Ward, Dora Mary.
Woolley, Esther Frances.

WIRELESS STOCK

Said Not to Have Been
Delivered

NEW YORK, March 8.—Payments of substantial sums for wireless stock that was never delivered were testified to today by witnesses at the continuation of the trial of George P. Munroe, formerly of Montreal, charged with misuse of the mails in selling stock. John P. Burns of Peoria, Ill., Mrs. Ellen Pike of Phoenix, Ariz., and the Rev. Robert Buchanan of Knoxville, Tenn., all testified to payments for stock that was never delivered.

TRINITY COLLEGE

TO TRY TO PREVENT DEALS IN
COLLEGE ELECTIONS

HARTFORD, Conn., March 8.—With the announced intention of making all elections to class and college honors the result of popular choice rather than of deals or inter fraternity understandings, the senate of Trinity college has passed a resolution pledging itself to "do all in its power to prevent deals, inter fraternity understandings and the like in class and college elections." Provision is made for declaring the election void if it is found after investigation that such election resulted from other than popular choice. The resolution, which is regarded as one of the most important steps taken by Trinity students in years, has been submitted to the whole undergraduate body, which must ratify it by a two-thirds vote before it can be enforced.

DIVIDEND REDUCED

NEW YORK, March 8.—The directors of the New York Central railroad today reduced the quarterly dividend on the company's shares to 14 per cent. This is a reduction of 1/4 per cent. from the previous quarter.

The directors of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad, which is owned by the New York Central, today declared an extra dividend of 6 per cent.

PRESIDENT TAFT

TO ATTEND DINNER OF THE AS-
SOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Taft has accepted an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the Associated Press and the American Newspaper Publishers association, to be given in New York on the night of April 27.

MINING MERGER TERRIFIC GALES

Discussed by Subsidiary
Companies. Raging Over Steamer
Lanes

BOSTON, March 8.—Three more of the smaller mining companies subsidiary to the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co., held meetings today to act informally on the plan for a merger with the Calumet. The first meeting was that of the Centennial company, at which the plan was approved by a majority of the stockholders. Half a dozen minority stockholders were present and several asked questions about the consolidation, all of which were answered by the counsel for the consolidation interests.

BANK OFFICIALS

Say That Seeley Has
Confessed

PITTSFIELD, March 8.—A confession that he is responsible for a shortage of about \$2000 in the funds of the State National bank of this city is alleged by bank officials to have been made by Arthur E. Seeley, who, up to a few weeks ago, was employed as draft clerk in the bank at a salary of \$10 a week. The shortage was discovered recently. Seeley was sent for and yesterday it was said, admitted that he had tapped the bank. Seeley said today that every cent of the deficit would be made good. He is bonded by a New York surety company for \$1000. The bank officials have not instituted proceedings against him and the attorney for the surety company said that the company had not yet decided to prosecute the clerk. Seeley is 26 years old and has been employed as draft clerk for six years. At the same time he has been acting as bookkeeper for a local business firm and it was by comparing this firm's pass-book with the books of the bank that the shortage was discovered.

On Feb. 15 last, Seeley was married to Miss Georgie Nellie Womble of Washington, D. C., who had been living with an aunt in this city. The marriage was not announced until his passage and Seeley went on a brief wedding journey without asking for leave of absence from the bank. When he returned he was discharged from the bank for being absent without permission.

National Bank Examiner Smith of St. Albans, Vt., was a visitor at the State National bank today.

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ADMIRAL FREMONT MANY INDUSTRIES

Commandant of Charlestown Navy Yard Dropped Dead Are Seeking Permanent Locations in This City

BOSTON, March 8.—Rear Admiral John Charles Fremont, commandant of the Charlestown navy yard, for 26 years active in the service of the United States navy and an expert in deep sea soundings, coast surveys and searchlights, dropped dead of heart disease in his home in the navy yard last night. Admiral Fremont had been indisposed for two days but had been able to attend to his duties and was chatting with his wife and two daughters when death overtook him.

Admiral Fremont was born in San Francisco, April 19, 1819, the son of Major General John Charles Fremont, U. S. A., "the Pathfinder." He graduated from the United States naval academy in 1842, and in 1875 was appointed to the command of the U. S. S. Pinla, on which he served two years and assisted in the suppression of the riots in Baltimore in 1877. In 1883 and 1885 he was in command of the U. S. S. Drift and was occupied in coast survey. During the Spanish war he commanded the torpedo boat Porfir and at the conclusion of the war was made commandant of the navy yard at Cavite, P. I., where he remained three years until 1902, he was appointed to the command of the U. S. S. Calgon and of the monitor Florida. In 1906-07 he was in command at Paris and St. Petersburg and for two years was in command of the battleship Mississippi.

He was appointed commandant of the Charlestown navy yard January 1, 1910.

WILL REPORT BILL

Committee Favorable to Mayor Meehan's Bill

After the hearing before the committee on cities of the legislature yesterday on the bill accompanying Mayor Meehan's petition providing that no streets shall be laid out on private property in Lowell without the approval of the plans therefor as to width, location, direction and grade, by a special board to consist of the mayor, the city engineer and the superintendent of streets, the committee went into executive session and voted to report the bill.

GIFFORD PINCHOT

PLEASED THAT SECRETARY BALINGER HAS RESIGNED

NEW YORK, March 8.—When Gifford Pinchot was seen at his home here last night there was no mistaking the satisfaction with which he regarded the news of Secretary Balinger's resignation.

"Mr. Balinger's resignation was inevitable," he said, "and will be received with general satisfaction. It is a welcome concession to the growing determination of the country to be represented by public servants in whose hands the public interests are safe."

The appointment of Walter Fisher as administrator of the national conservation association, which Pinchot has been working together for years, as vice president and one of the founders of the National Conservation association, he has been a vigorous and effective supporter of the policies for which the association stands.

"In his new post as secretary of the interior, he will, I feel sure, continue the conservation of our natural resources as closely as we have done in the past. His entrance into the government service unquestionably will meet with strong public approval."

Further than this, Mr. Pinchot did not care to comment for publication. The former chief forester intends to sail today on the steamship Celtic for a tour of Mediterranean countries.

JULIUS CAESAR

ARTISTIC RECITAL BY MARSHALL DARRACH

Mr. Marshall Darrach gave the second in his series of Shakespearean recitals, last evening, presenting "Julius Caesar" in most artistic manner before a large and appreciative audience. His interpretation of the varying characters of the great tragedy was matchless and at no time did he overdo his delicate work. Mark Anthony's speech was perhaps the best feature while the scene in which Portia pleads with Brutus in the garden was beautifully done.

Mr. Darrach gives one more recital, on Tuesday night of next week, when the play will be "Twelfth Night." A large audience is assured, after the two preceding successful presentations.

TWO INQUESTS

WERE HELD BEFORE JUDGE PICKMAN

Inquests into the deaths of John W. Peeney at Wamecet and John McAlister at Tewksbury Centre, recently were held yesterday before Judge John J. Pickman in the court of second sessions in the Market building.

As to the death of Mr. Peeney there is a mystery which the Boston & Northern company has been unable to solve, that is his presence near the tracks. The railway officials have admitted that one of their cars struck the man but they are at a loss to learn how the accident happened.

His body was found on the car tracks near Wamecet, an electric car having evidently run over him without the knowledge of the conductor or motorman operating the car. The motorman of another car saw the body and stopped his car in time to avoid running over it again.

In the case of McAlister, the evidence was that he was killed while walking along the tracks at Tewksbury Centre. Apparently he did not hear the train approaching.

The quickest and most effective remedy for colds, grippe and feverishness is ALL-OTOL. That is a strong statement, but before you condemn it, get an ALL-OTOL Booklet from your drug store, and then you will not condemn the statement but will know that it is true.

City Now Needs More Buildings, Suitable for Manufacturing Purposes—Board of Trade Favors Extension of Tracks in Andover Street

At the regular meeting of the directors of the board of trade last evening, President Harvey B. Greene made the encouraging statement that at no time in the history of the board have there been so many applications for commercial locations in Lowell as at present and the present need is a number of buildings suitable for manufacturing purposes. President Greene's statement was based on the monthly report of Secretary Murphy on the board's work since last meeting and which dealt principally with the number of new industries that either have already located here or which may do so in the near future.

Sixty-four new members were added within a month, showing a steady gain in membership.

The committee on annual banquet which will be held in Associate hall on March 15, at 8:45 o'clock, preceded by a reception, made a report of progress. Caterer Henderson who is to provide the repast, submitted a thoroughly satisfactory menu. The caterer is guaranteed 500 guests and he will have a corps of waiters of ample numbers.

The speakers thus far engaged are Lewis K. Bourke of Boston, Rev. Dr. Smith Baker and Mayor John F. Meehan. The committee is endeavoring to get John H. Fahy, formerly editor of the Boston Traveler to speak on "New England."

Street Paving Plan

The plan for a schedule for street paving for a five year period was brought up for final action and it was voted to approve it and submit it to the city government for consideration. The plan has been changed somewhat from the draft heretofore published and is as follows:

For 1911: Gorham street from Appleton street to Davis square; East Merrimack street from Eastern canal to High street.

For 1912: Gorham street from Davis square to Lowell and Andover railroad; Church street from Central street to Concord street.

For 1913: Merrimack street from Tilden street to Cabot street; Moody street from Merrimack street to Tilden street; Appleton street from Gorham street to Thordike street; Bridge street from Central bridge to Sixth street; Lakewood avenue from Bridge street to Coburn street.

For 1914: Appleton street from Gorham street to Central street; Fletcher street from Liberty square to Broadway; Chelmsford street from Westford street to Sheldon street; Branch street from Nichols street to Coral street.

For 1915: Central street from Appleton street to Elm street; Market street from Palmer street to Shattuck street; East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street; Palmer street from Market street to Merrimack street; Nesmith street from East Merrimack street to Andover street.

George W. Trull brought up the matter of extending the tracks in Andover street through North Tewksbury to Andover, a distance of six miles. He stated that such an extension would accommodate several hundred houses and is desired by the people of Andover. He pointed out that the extension would bring more business to Lowell. The board voted in favor of the proposition and will send a committee of five to confer with the Boston & Northern officials.

Boom New England

President Greene reported the formation of an organization known as the New England Business federation. He attended the initial meeting as a delegate from the Lowell board of trade, and said that it seemed to him that Lowell should join the organization. The object of the organization is to boom New England and to endeavor to compete with the other highly advanced sections of this country. He outlined the problems the organization would come with. Action on the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

New Members Received

The following new members were reported and admitted: Robert Catherwood, Joseph P. Foley, D. A. Blake, E. P. Cameron, Ralph Locke, A. S. Goldran, Dr. Clarence B. Livingston, Stanley A. Foster, Dr. J. Arthur Gage, Charles F. Brigham, Otis L. Humphrey, Lowell Weaving Co., Frank J. Sherwood, Harry D. Wilson, George W. Randall, Fred H. Albre, John Powell, Albert H. Waeleer, Edwin A. Lynde.

Frank E. Jowett, Arthur J. Desmarais, George Eastman, Charles A. Eveleth, William D. Brown, Wesley M. Wilder, Charles W. Johnson, J. W. Stewart, George H. Spalding, Fred B. Emerson.

LAWYER SHEARN

Makes Charges Against Hospital Officials

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—Clarence J. Shearn, who has begun legal proceedings with a view to releasing Harry K. Thaw from the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane, yesterday on behalf of Thaw's mother, filed a letter with Gov. Dix, alleging "neglect of duty, maladministration and abuse of power" on the part of Superintendent of Prisons Collins and Dr. Albert W. Ferris, president of the state lunacy commission in connection with the management of the institution.

Gov. Dix turned the letter over to William Church Osborn and George B. Van Kenman, who are making an investigation of the hospital.

EX-SEN. ALDRICH

CALLS MEETING OF THE MONETARY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Former Senator Aldrich arrived here yesterday from Brunswick, Ga., where he has been spending the past few weeks for the benefit of his health. On Thursday he will have a meeting of the national monetary commission of which he is the chairman. He will devote his time now to carrying on the campaign of education in monetary matters which both Mr. Aldrich and President Taft feel is necessary before legislation is enacted changing the monetary system for the country from its present basis.



HARVEY B. GREENE, President Board of Trade

T. R. Huetwick, Thomas J. O'Donnell, Benjamin J. Begin, W. H. Bugshaw estate, Dr. G. W. Bonneville, E. Garfield Baker, Martin J. Courtney, Fred Henderson, R. E. Huckland and James Smith.

MAYOR GAYNOR

THINKS HERMAN RIDDER WOULD MAKE GOOD SENATOR

NEW YORK, March 8.—Mayor Gaynor thinks Herman Ridder would make a good compromise senatorial candidate to break the democratic deadlock at Albany. Mr. Ridder, who is publisher of the New York Staats-Zeitung and chairman of the paper committee of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, received one vote in the balloting yesterday and when Mayor Gaynor saw the afternoon papers he scanned the list and said: "Why not all join in and elect Ridder? That would be a good day's work."

The mayor made it clear, however, that he did not necessarily regard Mr. Ridder as preferable to him, personally, to Martin W. Littleton or other minority candidates.

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WIVES OF RIVAL MAYORALTY CANDIDATES IMPORTANT FACTORS IN CHICAGO'S FIGHT



CHICAGO, March 8.—The wives of H. Harrison 36 and Edith Ogden Harrison, the two candidates for mayor, republican and democratic, will prove important factors in deciding the contest, considerable literary ability, is doing much to come to a finality at the polls, important work in the publicity department of the campaign forces. She Carter H. Harrison, former mayor, who is the democratic candidate, is not only working herself in aid of her husband's campaign, but the two children, Carter and Edith Ogden.

Mrs. Harrison, who has answers letters and writes circulars to the voters. Mrs. Merriam, wife of the republican candidate, is spending most of her time calling on her wealthy acquaintances among the women to endeavor to get them to secure the votes of their men folk for the professor in the University of Chicago, who is also an alderman. Professor Merriam will get strong support from the students. The rivalry between Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Merriam is as intense as that existing between the two candidates. Mrs. Harrison, who was Edith Ogden, is a southern woman, being the daughter of Judge Ogden of the Louisiana court of appeals. In the breadth of her education, in her love of home and family, she is typical of that class of people in the south who live perhaps the most fully rounded out life that is lived in this country. She was reared under the strictest code of the old regime, and her childhood was passed at all times directly under her father's care. Her education was received at Mrs. Shaw's school in New Orleans and later from private masters. She met Carter H. Harrison in Chicago and was married to him in December, 1887. She has two children, Carter H. 36 and Edith Ogden.

JURY TRIAL BILL

Passed by Vote of 29 to 5
in State Senate

BOSTON, March 8.—In the state senate yesterday a new draft of the bill relative to proceedings for punishment of the violation of injunctions was accepted, and the bill was passed to be engrossed, 29 to 5. The bill provides in effect that where a person is accused of having violated an injunction of the court he shall have a jury trial on the question of whether or not he did violate it. The new draft was submitted by Senator Hoar of Middlesex.

The bill was favored by Senator Malley of Hampden. Although there was no vote against the measure on the floor, the president declared the measure passed to be engrossed. Senator Malley, apparently to get members on record, doubted the vote and had the roll called. On the roll call 29 members (15 republicans and 14 democrats) voted for the bill and only five, all republicans, voted against it. The five were Senators Evans, Greenwood, Mulligan, Pearson and Schoonmaker.

The Blanchard order for investigation by the railroad commission into the matter of furnishing drinking water and sanitary cups by railroads on their passenger trains was put over till tomorrow. The bill authorizing trapping with scented bait was put over till March 11.

The adverse report of the legal affairs committee on the Ross petition prohibiting work in factories and workshops on Washington's birthday was accepted.

The bill for the taxing of deposits in the savings departments of trust companies was held by the committee on bills in third reading.

The governor's veto of the civil service qualifications bill, which the house passed over the veto, was received and action postponed till today.

Senate Committee Reports

In the senate these committee reports were received: Legal affairs—Leave to withdraw to Roger F. Scannell to permit games and sports on the Lord's day; same to Andrew A. Cassassa, to give entertainments on the Lord's day; same to John J. Walsh, to prohibit exorbitant rates of interest; same to Dist. Atty. Pelletier in his petition for amendment of the law relative to the carrying of concealed weapons; same to Thomas Curley on his petition to permit certain games on Sunday.

Banks and banking—Leave to withdraw to Senator Granger on the petition for an act to provide that savings banks shall pay interest on deposits up to the first day of the month previous to the withdrawal.

The bill fixing the liability of banks for the payment of forged, unauthorized, altered or raised negotiable instruments was put over till today on motion of Senator Malley, who explained that he had sought Prof. Williston's opinion of the measure but had not received it as yet.

Chinese Restaurant Bill

In the house the bill to extend the jurisdiction of lower courts, which was debated for several days last week, was passed to be engrossed after the adoption, without debate, of an amendment offered by Mr. Lomasney of Boston, providing that no person shall be sentenced under the terms of the bill for more than two years in the house of correction, and that no person shall be sentenced to a term of more than six months without having one day in which to appeal his case.

The committee on legal affairs reported leave to withdraw on the petition for an act to prohibit the admission of women under 21 to Chinese restaurants.

The committee on legal affairs also reported leave to withdraw on all the

bills to permit the playing of baseball on Sunday.

Other committee reports were: Public health—A bill to regulate the occupation of barbering and to create a board for the licensing of barbers.

Judiciary—Leave to withdraw on bill to require judges to declare their financial interest in corporations.

Legal affairs—Leave to withdraw on bill to regulate interest charges on small loans; leave to withdraw on bill to prohibit the admission of children under 16 years of age to places of amusement.

Fisheries and game—A bill to establish an open season from Oct. 14 to March 1 on coot, whistlers and teal in the counties of Nantucket, Barnstable and Dukes; Senator Gates and Representatives Saltonstall and Arkwell dissent.

Judiciary—A bill to require the attendance of illiterate minors at evening school up to the age of 21 years, instead of 18.

Mercantile affairs—A bill authorizing Wellesley college to hold real estate to the value of not more than \$10,000,000. It now has authority to hold property to the value of \$5,000,000.

Mercantile affairs—A bill to require by public contracts to make analysis of paint, linseed oil and turpentine, if requested by the state board of health.

THE PASSION PLAY TONIGHT

A lecture on the Passion Play of Oberammergau is very appropriate to the Lenten season and on that account Mr. Arthur K. Peck's appearance in the People's club tonight will be timely. He will describe and picture the great drama, dramatically given by pious peasants of a little Bavarian village. The illustrations will be of scenes from the play itself. Mr. Peck has spoken before People's club audiences in other seasons, and is a great favorite. His lecture tonight will be heard by as many people as can get into the hall of the Runnels building, Merrimack square. It is free to all and a general invitation is extended. The hour is 8 o'clock.

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GOLDEN WEDDING

Most Elaborate Celebration Ever Held

PASADENA, Cal., March 8.—What is said to be the most elaborate golden wedding anniversary ever celebrated anywhere in the world took place here yesterday, with Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Busch as the central figures. The most costly of the presents was the diadem presented to Mrs. Busch by her husband. It is a crown of gold, studded with diamonds and pearls, valued at \$250,000.

The presents received by the couple are valued at \$500,000. The children gave their parents a dozen dinner plates made of solid gold valued at \$75,000. A solid gold flower basket, valued at \$15,000, was received from the grandchildren.

President Taft sent a \$20 gold coin of the new St. Gaudens design in an ivory case. Theodore Roosevelt sent a solid gold loving cup, and there was a gold loving cup from Emperor William.

A magnificent loving cup was received from citizens of Pasadena. The wedding feast took place last night at "The Blossoms," the Busch winter home. The floral decorations are valued at \$50,000.

MRS. C. BENNETT

Winner of Popular Prize
in Pasadena, Cal.

Little wonder that men from Texas, Montana, the golden slope and other places seek wives in Lowell.

It doesn't make any difference whether it's at home or abroad, the Lowell girl is a gem of the first water. She makes good wherever she goes and when you find a Lowell girl in a contest of any kind it's the day's best bet that she is going to win.

The winning spirit of a Lowell girl has recently been demonstrated in a lively newspaper contest in Pasadena, California. The Pasadena Daily News.



MRS. CHARLES BENNETT,
Of Pasadena, Cal., Formerly of Lowell

In order to increase its circulation, offered prizes for the one receiving the greatest number of votes. It was a battle of ballots and the purpose of the paper was to advertise itself by the women who engaged in the battle of votes. The contest was open to women, only.

The woman who won a prize had to do it by her popularity and industry, and the second prize, a \$400 Kohler & Campbell piano, was won by Mrs. Charles Bennett, formerly of this city. Mrs. Bennett's maiden name was Mabel Goodfellow. Her husband, Charles Bennett, is the son of J. C. Bennett, the hardware merchant at 263 Dutton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett went to California a few years ago and settled in Pasadena. Charles Bennett was, at one time, the proprietor of the small candy and periodical store at the corner of School and Payson streets. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett have two children and are prospering in the golden west.

The newspaper responsible for the battle of ballots in which Mrs. Bennett engaged allows that several thousand new subscribers have been added to its list. Mrs. Bennett's total number of votes was 5,979,10, and the total of all the ballots sent in to the office from the various districts netted about 40,000,000.

SEC'Y. FISHER

Is an Enthusiastic Golf
Player

CHICAGO, March 8.—Walter L. Fisher, who has been appointed secretary of the Interior by President Taft, is an enthusiastic golfer and undoubtedly will become a member of the president's golf club. When Mr. Fisher is in Chicago he spends a large part of his recreation hours on the Onwentsia and Skoklo courses. He is said to have a record considerably under 90.

MISS McDONALD DEAD

PORTLAND, Me., March 8.—Miss Abbie Louise McDonald, a past grand chancellor of the Pythian sisterhood of Maine, now known as the Pythian Sisters, died last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. R. Legrow, with whom she lived. She was 62 years old.

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JOHN M. HOGAN, Secretary.

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Short Flannelette Kimonos in gray and white or black and white check. Regular price 25c 50c. Thursday only 25c

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Black or tan, medium weight Cotton Hose, double heel and toe. Regular price 25c. Thursday only 19c

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Medium weight fleece, short sleeve Vests and knee length pants. Regular price 50c. Thursday only 39c

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CHINA CLOSET FIREMEN HURT

Was Presented to Flooring of a Building
Harry Pitts Gave Way

Mr. Harry Pitts, esteemed loyal knight of the Lowell lodge of Elks, was tendered a reception last night in Elks hall in Middle street and presented a handsome china closet, the presentation being made because of his recent marriage.

Considerable business was transacted during the meeting and at the opportune time Mr. Pitts was called upon and presented the china closet, which is a beautiful piece of furniture.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Three firemen were badly injured today when the flooring on the third story of a building on Third avenue gave way and fell to the cellar. The building burned last night and the firemen were engaged today in "washing down." A search was made to find out if there were any more firemen in the ruins.

SISTER ALICE

EXPULSED FROM PORTUGAL, IS
COMING TO THIS COUNTRY

WOONSOCKET, R. I., March 8.—Expelled from Portugal as the result of the new republic's law against religious orders, Sister Alice of the Blessed Sacrament, who before becoming a religious was Miss Delphine Lafayette of this city, leaves London today for this country. Rev. Arthur Lafayette of Woonsocket is her brother.

Sister Alice became a member of the Little Sisters of the Poor 23 years ago when she was assigned to Brooklyn.

SUMMER RATES

TO BE ADVANCED BY THE RAILROADS

CHICAGO, March 8.—At a special meeting of the Central Passenger association yesterday, it was decided to advance special summer excursion rates from points in Central Passenger association territory, with the exception of Chicago to Niagara Falls and Atlantic City, this year by \$1 over the rates that obtained last year. Summer tourist rates to those points will prevail so far as Chicago is concerned and a meeting to discuss the adjustment of the later rates will be held when she was assigned to Brooklyn.

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If eyes could be purchased and you needed a new pair, would you buy the cheapest or the best? Think it over, and apply the same rule to GLASSES. We make the best.
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In our Bedding Department. It's the best occasion for Lowell housekeepers to supply their homes. In a short while the spring housecleaning will begin, when furniture will be overhauled and new articles bought to replace old ones. We offer for a few days exceptional bargains in Beds and Bedding. Every housekeeper needs some of these advertised bargains sometimes, so we would advise you to select now what you especially require as the savings are worth while.

MATTRESSES

Every Mattress in This Sale is Made Under Strict Sanitary Conditions.

Full size soft top mattresses, in two parts, for this sale only. Regular price \$2.50 \$1.79

Soft top and bottom mattresses, filled with best quality excelsior, value \$3.75, sale price \$2.98

Combination mattresses, in good quality tick, the kind that wear. Regular price \$4.75, for this sale \$3.69

Combination mattress, soft top, bottom and sides, usually sold for \$5, for this sale \$3.98

Combination rattan and fibre mattress, the kind that always give satisfaction, priced for this sale, regular price \$6.50, for \$4.69

We take pride in our cotton mattresses, that we make under our own supervision. The filling is all selected stock and guaranteed free from odor. Worth \$7.50, sale price \$5.95

Layer felt mattresses, made of pure, selected layer felt, sold everywhere for \$12, special sale price, \$8.98

Silk floss mattresses, the acme of comfort and durability, regular value \$15, priced for this sale, \$11.98

National springs, the only spring for comfort, priced for this sale, regular price \$3.50 \$2.49

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OUR GREAT SALE OF BEDS

It will be a sale of peculiar interest to everybody. The prices quoted here tell the story.

White iron beds, full size, with brass knobs, regular value \$4, for this sale \$2.59

White enameled steel beds, strong and durable, value \$3.50, priced at \$3.95

White enameled steel beds, brass trimmed, with fancy scroll, regular value \$7.50, for this sale, \$5.69

Heavy white enameled beds, in the latest designs, beautiful brass trimmings, regular values up to \$18, price for this sale, \$6.98, \$7.95, \$8.98 and \$14.98

All brass beds, with 2 inch posts, five fillers, polished and English lacquered, regular value \$12.50, for this sale \$8.79

Brass beds, with 2 inch continuous posts, double top rails, made to sell for \$25. Sale price \$19.50

Attend this sale. We'll convince you that we have the best values ever offered in this city. Many other values in beds at reduced prices, besides those advertised here.

SHADE AND DRAPERY WORK

Is very economically done here. Shall we send a man to estimate? No charge for this. But we suggest that you promptly avail yourself of the opportunities here. We guarantee satisfaction both in workmanship and quality of goods used. We have added to our force B. W. Montague, formerly of Boston, Mass., and Joseph H. Cronin, recently with J. S. Hastings.

Our March Clearance Sale

STARTED THIS MORNING

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REMARKABLE SAVINGS

Corset covers, drawers, gowns, petticoats and brassieres. A small lot worth 69c and 97c, now 50c

Hand embroidered lingerie waists, and a few white tailored waists, were 97c, now 50c

Gowns, drawers, corset covers and combinations, formerly priced \$1.50 and \$1.97, now 97c

Lingerie and tailored waists, formerly priced \$1.97, now 97c

Lace and embroidery trimmed tea aprons. Any of our 50c styles, now 29c

Outsize flannelette gowns, our regular \$1.00 styles, now 50c

Many lots at ridiculous prices, too small to advertise.

Any of our gowns or combinations, formerly priced \$2.97, \$3.97 and \$5.00, now \$1.97

Discontinued styles of 97c lingerie waists, now 69c

Discontinued styles of lingerie, silk and wool waists, formerly priced \$2.97, \$3.50, \$3.97, now \$1.97

Your choice of any of our \$5.00 black or colored silk petticoats, now \$3.97

A few 25c tea aprons and flannelette short skirts, now 15c

Jersey top petticoats, styles that sold for \$1.50 and \$1.97, now 97c

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ARMY MOVEMENT

May Have Bearing on Future Events in Mexico

Mexican Ambassador Says There Will be No Intervention—Great Army Ready to Start the Moment Word is Received—Change in Cabinet of Pres. Diaz is Likely

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Though the concentration of a fourth of the standing army of the United States along the Mexican border and a movement of a portion of the navy southward along both seacoasts merely is an extensive maneuver, many persons here familiar with political conditions in Mexico regard the action of the United States at this time as likely to have an important bearing on future events in Mexico.

Persistent reports have reached this city that a change in the cabinet of President Diaz soon will be made and the state department also has been so informed unofficially. In these changes the American government is keenly interested. Apart from any normal effect on the treatment accorded American interests in the present disorders, it is suggested that the military demonstration of the United States, whether so intended or not, may have a potential influence on the political crisis in Mexico City.

Senor Limantour, Mexican minister of finance, who is now in New York, is slated for the post of minister of foreign affairs. He has long been recognized as an adviser in whom President Diaz placed much reliance. Senor De La Barra, the Mexican ambassador, will confer with Senor Limantour in New York today. The purpose of the conference has led to much speculation and it is believed that the political turbulence in Mexico, especially Senor Limantour's plans of restoring the republic to civil as well as political tranquility, will be discussed. Senor De La Barra had intended to go to New York last night but changed his plans and left at 9 o'clock today. Before leaving here he declared that the mobilization of troops by the United States along the Mexican border is not interpreted by his country as the forerunner of intervention. He declared Mexico well able to cope with its local disorders.

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NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—Today's joint ballot for United States senator resulted in no material change. Gov. Dix today made public a letter from Mayor Gaynor of New York, expressing the hope that the senatorial contest will soon be ended and offering to assist in any way possible in bringing it about. The letter says in part:

"The contest is a great distraction and it has always seemed to me that they should come together as men do in all affairs of life and talk it over, and yield a little here and there, and come to an agreement. Why cannot that be done?"

The governor said the letter spoke for itself and was an evidence that all democrats are for harmony.

MRS. OLE BULL'S WILL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 8.—The hearing on the petition of the executors of the will of Mrs. Ole Bull, widow of the famous violinist, regarding the appointment of her daughter, Mrs. Olea Bull Vaughan, as custodian of the Rhode Island property, was continued today until Friday by agreement of counsel for both sides. Mrs. Vaughan was appointed without the knowledge of the executors, Parker & Thorpe, of Boston, who are contesting it. About \$425,000 is involved.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY

There was very little doing in police court this morning, the most important case being that of George Lacources, who was charged with failing to maintain a sign of common victualer on the outside of his place of business at 485 Market street. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty.

Officer Frank Fox testified that he visited Lacources' place of business on the 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th of March, and each time he failed to see a proper sign on the outside of the building. On every visit the officer notified the proprietor of the place to put up a sign as required by law. The officer visited the place again yesterday afternoon and saw a common victualer's sign hanging over the door.

The defendant said that he did not understand the law, and that is the reason why he did not put up the required sign sooner.

The court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of \$20, which is the minimum in this case. But after being informed that the defendant is to appear before the board of police on Friday evening to answer a charge of allowing gambling to be carried on in his place of business, the court withdrew the sentence and continued the case till Saturday morning. Lacources being fined on his personal bonds in the sum of \$100.

Much Support Wife
Harvey Belieu, charged with failing

COL. ROOSEVELT'S TRIP

NEW YORK, March 8.—Colonel Roosevelt started today on his six weeks' swing across the country to the Pacific coast and back again. It is the first trip the colonel has made since the recent campaign.

"I have nothing to say about anything," said the colonel as he boarded his train on the Pennsylvania railroad, which left for the south. The colonel's first stop will be at Atlanta tomorrow. Colonel Roosevelt said he had not heard of the mobilization of the United States troops and the navy near Mexico until this morning's paper was shown him. It was remarked that he appeared to be headed that way, but the colonel only smiled and declined to express any opinion.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Am Car & Fm	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Am Cot Oil	50	50	50
Am Smelt & R	74 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	105	105	105
Atchafalpa	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Atchafalpa pf	102 1/2	102	102
Balt & Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Br Harp Tran	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Canadian Pa	214	213 1/2	213 1/2
Cent Leather	29	28 1/2	28 1/2
Ches & Ohio	83 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Chi & Gt W	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Col Fuel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Consol Gas	140 1/2	140 1/2	140 1/2
Erie 1st pf	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Erie 2d pf	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Gt North pf	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Gt No Ore pf	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Int Met pf	52	51 1/2	51 1/2
Iowa Central	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Iowa Cen pf	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Kan City So	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kan & Texas	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Mexican Cent	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Missouri Pa	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
N Y Alp Brake	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
N Y Central	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Ner & West	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
North Pacific	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Ont & West	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pennsylvania	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
People's Gas	105	105	105
Pressed Steel	33	33	33
Ry St & Co	34	34	34
Reading	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Rep I & S pf	28	28	28
Rock Is	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
St Paul	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
So Pacific	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Southern Ry	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Southern Ry pf	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Tenn Copper	37	37	37
Union Pacific	172 1/2	171 1/2	171 1/2
U S Rub pf	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
U S Steel	112	112	112
U S Steel pf	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
U S Steel 6s	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Wabash & R	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Wab R R pf	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Westinghouse	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Western Un	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Wilson Cen	63	62 1/2	62 1/2

BOSTON CUMM MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Nrv	130	129 1/2	129 1/2
Bay State Gas	25	25	25
Boston Ry	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Davis-Daly	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Goldfield Cons	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
La Rose	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Malcolm	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
McKinley	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Ohio Copper	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Oneco	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Raven	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Hay Central	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
R I Coal	6	4 1/2	4 1/2

STOCK MARKET

WAS STEADY AT THE CLOSING HOUR TODAY

Market Was Rather Sluggish in the Afternoon—There Was Very Little Movement to Prices

NEW YORK, March 8.—Uneasiness over the Mexican situation resulted in the unusual weakness of the stocks of the National Railway of Mexico when the market opened today. Both the first and second pfd. dropped a point. The general list was inclined to heaviness. Amn. Agl. Chem lost one point. U. S. Steel and N. Y. Central 3/4 and Reading and S. P. Atlantic Coast line advanced a point. The market reached a slightly lower level and trading was unusually dull for the first hour. The fertilizer stocks were especially weak. Amn. Agl. Chem lost two points. Virginia Carolina Chem 1 1/2 and Amn. Cotton Oil 1. Lack of demand for stocks caused prices to decline during the morning. Trading and even at the lower figures there was little business. Uncertainty as to the outcome of events in Mexico restricted trading. Announcement of the declaration of a lower dividend for New York Central than has been paid in the previous four quarters added to the weakness of the general list. New York Central, which has been weak for several days, in expectation of the reduction, yielded to 105 1/2, a loss of 1 1/2. It made a quick rally of a point and then went off to 105 1/2. Reading, U. P. and Wabash pfd. were forced a point under yesterday's close and other leaders also lost large fractions. Prices continued to give way under very light offerings. Most of all the important stocks were down a point and the Lehigh Valley stocks 2. The decline in the market was checked in the early afternoon but there was no recovery of consequence and trading remained lethargic. The market closed steady. The stock market was very sluggish in the closing hour and there was scarcely any noticeable movement to prices.

Boston Copper Market

BOSTON, March 8.—There were no indications of any revival of interest in the copper stocks in the early hours of today. Transactions were confined to odd lots while values were fractionally lower.

Exchanges and Balances

BOSTON, March 8.—Exchanges, \$26,445,446; balances, \$2,122,519.

Spot Cotton

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands 14.30; Middling Gulf 14.55. Sales 218 bales.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Allouez	35	34	34
Am Ag Chem Com	57	55 1/2	55 1/2
Am Ag Chem pf	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Am Pneumatic	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Am Tel & Tel	145	141 1/2	141 1/2
Am Woolen	34	31	31
Am Woolen pf	93 1/2	93	93
American Zinc	23 1/2	23	23
U S Seaman	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Arizona Com	15	14 1/2	14 1/2
Atlantic	4	4	4
Boston & Albany	224 1/2	224 1/2	224 1/2
Bos & Corbin	13	12 1/2	12 1/2
Boston Elevated	129	128 1/2	128 1/2
Boston & Maine	118 1/2	118	118
Butte Coal	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cal & Hecla	85	85	85
Copper Range	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Pitchburg pf	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Franklin	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Giroux	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Greene-Cameron	6	5 1/2	5 1/2
Isle Royale	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Lake Copper	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Mass Electric pf	17	16 1/2	16 1/2
Mass Gas	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Mass Gas pf	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Nevada	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
New Eng Tel	144	144	144
Newhouse Mines	56	56	56
N Y & N H	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
North Butte	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Old Dominion	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Quincy	110	110	110
Shannon	11	10 1/2	10 1/2
Superior Copper	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Superior & Pitts	15	15	15
Swift & Co	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Trinity	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
United Fruit	155	155	155
United SH	57	57	57
U S Sealtung pf	48	47 1/2	47 1/2
Utah Cons	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Wilona	8 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Wolverine	120	120	120

The Money Market

BOSTON, March 8.—Prime mercantile paper 4 to 1 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 48 1/2 @ 49 1/2 for 60 day bills and at 48 1/2 for demand. Commercial bills 43 1/2 @ 44 1/2. Bar silver 52 1/2. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady. Railway bonds irregular.

Cotton Futures

	Opening	Close
March	14.01	
April	14.10	
May	14.21	14.31
June	14.03	
July	14.04	14.13
August	13.56	13.60
October	12.43	12.52
December	12.32	12.43
January	12.20	

CRIMINAL COURT BELTRAN CHOSEN LOWELL YOUTH

Will Hold Session in As Provisional President of Honduras

The grand jury will make its report on Lowell cases in this city on Friday and the March session of the superior criminal court will begin on Monday, in this city. As there are only seven cases besides the appealed cases it is not likely that the court will sit here longer than a few days.

AWNING ON FIRE

The Department Called Out Twice

A slight fire in the awning of Calnan & Guthrie's store in Merrimack street was the cause of two alarms from box 25 last night. The first alarm was sent in at 6:22 o'clock and the other at 6:43.

A gas lamp hanging on the outside of the store, close to the awning, set the latter on fire. An alarm was sent in and in a short time the fire fighters were on the scene and had the blaze out. About 20 minutes later another alarm was sent in from the same box and for the same cause, and again the firemen did a quick job.

The damages are slight and are covered by the insurance of Collins & Hogan.

THE DEMOCRATS

MAKING A VIGOROUS FIGHT FOR REGISTERED VOTERS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 8.—A hearing which is considered the most important of this legislative session was begun today by the committee on special legislation on the bill to abolish the antiquated property qualification of the voters law which obtains in this state. The democrats are this year making a vigorous campaign for an amendment to the constitution giving registered voters the right to vote for all candidates for public office, and a number of the prominent leaders of the party spoke in favor of the bill at the hearing this afternoon. The principal speaker for the bill was Congressman George O'Shaughnessy. The present law requires that in order to vote for members of the city council and for certain local officers voters must have personal property of at least \$134.

GOVERNOR FOSS

MADE NO APPOINTMENT TO SUPERIOR COURT BENCH

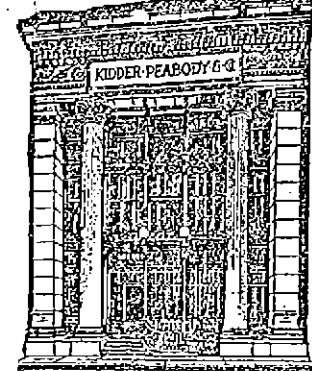
BOSTON, March 8.—Gov. Foss made no appointment for the vacancy on the superior bench at the meeting of the executive council today.

THE EMPRESS

TO ASSIST IN NURSING PRINCE ADELBERT

KIEL, Germany, March 8.—Empress Augusta Victoria arrived here today to assist in nursing Prince Adelbert, who is ill with what is described as a mild attack of appendicitis.

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SAILORS IN PERIL

NORFOLK, Va., March 8.—With their vessel hard aground, lashed by a 42-mile gale and swept constantly by furious seas which continue to drive her farther on the shore, 35 men on the British steamer Manchuria today are in imminent peril.

The Manchuria, bound from New Orleans to Tampico, Mexico, with a cargo of coal, went aground yesterday during thick weather. Life savers from the Little Island and Falls Cape stations spent the night on the beach and today are on shore, awaiting an opportunity to shoot a breeches buoy over the vessel. The wrecking steamer Rosene is standing by to effect a rescue of the men and begin salvage operations when the weather permits. The revenue cutters Onondaga and Seminole are on their way to render any assistance possible.

Captain Traylor and his men refused yesterday to leave their stranded vessel, hoping the ship would be floated. Today they have been signalling frantically to be taken from their dangerous position. The ship began to leak during the night and today is full of water.

MURDER TRIAL

PLYMOUTH, March 8.—Plymouth county's second murder trial within a month opened today when a jury was impaneled to hear the evidence in the case of Charles P. Fernald of Wareham, who is charged with the murder a year ago of Joseph H. Heller in the Onset bay section of Wareham. It is alleged by the prosecuting attorney that Fernald struck Heller over the head with a billiard cue, causing a fracture of the skull, from which Heller died a few days later. It was expected that the trial would continue for nearly a week as the government has at least a score of witnesses to be heard, one of the most important being the widow of the dead man. The widow, a few days ago, went to Onk Bluffs, where she took for her third husband, Eugene Joy, formerly a boarder in the Heller home. Judge Quinn presided at the trial.

JOHN F. TOBIN AN OLD RESIDENT

Wants the Arbitration Board Reorganized

BOSTON, March 8.—Two members of the state board of arbitration were declared today to be unfit for service by John F. Tobin, president of the boot and shoeworkers union, at a hearing before the legislative committee on labor. Mr. Tobin declared that nearly 80 per cent of the cases before the board concerned shoe workers, who had found that arbitration was the best method of settling difficulties.

Lately the cases had declined in number, he said, "because the workers believe that two members of the board are personally and financially united to consider them and render a decision."

(He asked that the board be reorganized and younger men put on it.)

FUNERAL NOTICE

WHEELER—The funeral of Mrs. Nora Wheeler will take place Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock from the undertaking rooms, 413 Bridge st., and there will be a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

FUNERAL OF JUDGE LOWELL

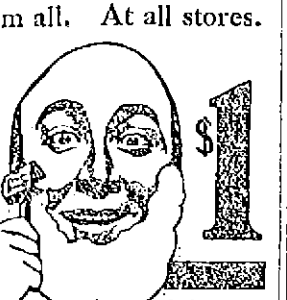
BOSTON, March 8.—The leaders of the bench and bar of this state gathered today at Kings chapel to attend the funeral of Judge Francis Lowell of the United States circuit court. The casket was met at the door of the church by the Rev. Howard Brown, the pastor, and the Rev. Milcent Brown, the pastor of Taunton, a friend of the deceased, and the procession was read by Mr. Brown as the funeral party walked up the aisle. The honorary pallbearers were Judges L. B. Colt and William Putnam of the United States circuit court, Frederick Dodge, Edgar Aldrich and Arthur H. Brown of the United States district court and Major Henry L. Higginson, Dr. H. P. Walcott and Dr. Lyman Abbott of the Harvard corporation. Relatives and friends were the active pallbearers. The interment was at Mount Auburn. All the federal courts were closed and flags on the federal building hung at half-staff throughout the day.

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WAGE INCREASE

For Employees of the
Wabash Road

CHICAGO, March 8.—A wage increase approximating 10 per cent was granted engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors on the Wabash railroad in a settlement yesterday of a wage controversy. The Wabash was not included in the western roads which effected a wage increase in December and the settlement yesterday is the first made by any road since the decision of the interstate commerce commission denying the roads' increased freight rates.

FRENCH BRIGADE

The General Board of
Officers Met

The general board of officers of the French American Volunteer Brigade of New England held an interesting meeting in Boston, under the presidency of A. J. Martineau of Willimantic, Conn.

Secretary Phyllis J. Martineau of Manchester, N. H., read the report of the first congress which was held in Full River in January, and the said report was accepted.

By a unanimous vote it was decided that the annual demonstration will be held July 4 at Willimantic, Conn. A military contest will be held on that day between the different companies of the brigade and beautiful prizes as is the custom will be awarded the winners.

The date and place of the next congress will be chosen at the next meeting of the officers, which will be held in June next. The following as a tribute for services rendered the brigade were made honorary members of the brigade with the privilege of taking part in the meetings: Rev. Dr. A. Dion of Fall River, Mass.; Dr. Camille Cole of Salem, Mass.; Dr. J. Leduc of Lynn, Mass.; Wilfrid J. Lessard of "L'Avant National" of Manchester, N. H.

Those who attended this last meeting were the following: A. J. Martineau of Willimantic, Conn., president general; Ernest Bergeron of Lawrence, Mass., vice president general; Phyllis J. Martineau of Manchester, N. H., secretary general; Albert Bergeron of Lowell, Mass., treasurer general; Andrew A. Cole of Fitchburg, Mass.; J. A. Touchette of Chelmsford, New Hampshire; Edmund Simoneau of Marlboro, Mass., auditors; A. J. Mandeville of Abington, Mass., brigadier general; Horace Deslats of Lowell, Mass., master of ceremonies and Alfred St. Germain of Fall River, Mass., sentinel.

ST. MARGARET'S

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BAZAAR BEING MADE

The arrangements for the bazaar to be held in aid of St. Margaret's church in the Highlands are being pushed along by the different tables and after the winter season, the various departments will start in new interesting parties for the affair. Two of the best men in connection with the bazaar are John J. Pinder and Henry J. Reynolds, chairman and secretary respectively of the committee. Mr. Reynolds is also chairman of St. Margaret's table and is hustling night and day for the affair.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CALLAHAN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Callahan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 32 Beacon street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Funeral in charge of C. H. Molloy & Sons.

DACBY—The funeral of Jeremiah Dacby will take place Thursday morning from his late home, 231 Salem street, at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

COBURN—Died, in Dracut, March 7, Cynthia Coburn, aged 78 years, 4 more, 6 days. Funeral will take place Thursday afternoon, March 9, at 2 o'clock, from her residence, in Dracut. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Geo. M. Eastman & Co.

CONNERS—The funeral of Edward Connors will take place Friday morning at 8:30 from the chapel of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 179 East Merrimack street. Mass of requiem at the church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock. Undertaker John A. Finnegan in charge.

TOMKAVICZ—The funeral of James Tomkavicz will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, 38 Davidson street. The funeral arrangements and burial are under the direction of Undertakers John A. Finnegan.

DEATHS

SAWYER—Word has been received here of the death in Jacksonville, Fla., March 2, of Capt. W. D. A. Sawyer, who is well known by many Lowell residents. Capt. Sawyer was born in Salem in 1842 and served through the Civil war as a member of the Second Massachusetts Infantry. At the close of the war he gained the rank of captain. He went to Florida in 1877, and until 1895 was a well known orange grower, residing at Beauclair, 10 miles south of Jacksonville, on the St. John's river. For the past 10 years he had lived in Jacksonville. He is survived by three children, Emelyn G., Frances Claire and Lave B. Sawyer, the latter a resident of Paterson, N. J.

MATHIEU—Died in this city, March 7, at 19 Joliet avenue, George, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mathieu, aged 7 months.

MINES—James Mines, a granite cutter by trade and a well known member of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at his home, 25 Manchester street, aged 46 years. He leaves a wife, Catherine. His health is doubly pathetic in that the mother, Mrs. Mines, Mrs. Mary Kent of Brooklyn, N. Y., died Monday morning at the Manchester street home, where she was visiting her children. Mrs. Kent leaves a husband Robert, two sons and three daughters.

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36 in. Amesbury, regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....8c yd.
36 in. Sebago, regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Hill, regular price 13 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
36 in. Langdon "76", regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
36 in. Dwight, regular price 13 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
36 in. Langdon "O. B.", regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
36 in. Laconia Twill, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.

36 Inch Unbleached Cotton
36 in. High Sheets, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
36 in. Panama L. L., regular price 6c yd. Sale Price.....5c yd.
36 in. Dictator, regular price 7c yd. Sale Price.....6c yd.
36 in. L. E., regular price 7c yd. Sale Price.....6c yd.
36 in. Job No. 124c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
36 in. Grand Republic, regular price 5c yd. Sale Price.....4c yd.
36 in. Essex R., regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....8c yd.
36 in. Lockwood, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Continental C., regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Cast Iron, regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Alamo, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
36 in. Pequot, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
36 in. Atlantic, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.

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81x90 Pequot, regular price 80c each. Sale Price.....72 1/2c each.
81x108 Pequot, regular price 95c each. Sale Price.....87 1/2c each.

40 Inch Unbleached Cotton
40 in. Beacon, regular price 8c yd. Sale Price.....7c yd.
40 in. Hoosac, regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....8c yd.
40 in. Household, regular price 9c yd. Sale Price.....8c yd.
40 in. Lockwood, regular price 10c yd. Sale Price.....9c yd.
40 in. Continental D., regular price 12c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
40 in. Pequot B., regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
40 in. Cast Iron, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
40 in. Atlantic, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.

42 Inch Bleached Cotton
42 in. Job No. 42, regular price 12 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
42 in. B. D. G. Special, regular price 13 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
42 in. Cabot, regular price 14c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
42 in. Hill, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
42 in. Fruit of the Loom, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
42 in. Sebago, regular price 16c yd. Sale Price.....15c yd.
42 in. Pequot, regular price 16c yd. Sale Price.....15c yd.

5-4 (45 In.) Bleached Cotton
5-4 Job, regular price 11 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
5-4 Plymouth, regular price 11c yd. Sale Price.....10c yd.
5-4 Lockwood, regular price 12c yd. Sale Price.....11c yd.
5-4 Hill, regular price 13c yd. Sale Price.....12c yd.
5-4 Sebago, regular price 14c yd. Sale Price.....13c yd.
5-4 Fruit of the Loom, regular price 15c yd. Sale Price.....14c yd.
5-4 Pequot, regular price 16c yd. Sale Price.....15c yd.

Bleached Sheets
50x90 Pequot, regular price 95c each. Sale Price.....87 1/2c each.
50x108 Pequot, regular price 95c each. Sale Price.....87 1/2c each.
51x90 Hemstitched Pequot, regular price 95c each. Sale Price.....87 1/2c each.
51x99 Hemstitched Pequot, regular price 95c each. Sale Price.....87 1/2c each.

6-4 (54 In.) Bleached Cotton
6-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 22 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....20c yd.
6-4 Fruit of the Loom, regular price 23c yd. Sale Price.....21c yd.
6-4 Pequot, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.

6-4 (54 In.) Half Bleached Cotton
6-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 22 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....20c yd.
6-4 Pequot, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.

6-4 (54 In.) Unbleached Cotton
6-4 Pequot, regular price 22 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....20c yd.

7-4 (63 In.) Bleached Cotton
7-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
7-4 Pequot, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.

7-4 (63 In.) Half Bleached Cotton
7-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
7-4 Pequot, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.

7-4 (63 In.) Unbleached Cotton
7-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 22 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....20c yd.
7-4 Pequot, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.

8-4 (72 In.) Bleached Cotton
8-4 Linwood, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
8-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
8-4 Lockwood, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
8-4 Dwight, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
8-4 Atlantic, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
8-4 Pequot, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.

8-4 (72 In.) Half Bleached Cotton
8-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
8-4 Pequot, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.

Pillow Cases
42x36 A. A., regular price 10c each. Sale Price.....8c each.
42x36 Rugby, regular price 12 1/2c each. Sale Price.....10c each.
42x36 Diamond, regular price 15c each. Sale Price.....12c each.
42x36 Rugby, regular price 13 1/2c each. Sale Price.....10c each.
42x36 Linen Finish, regular price 15c each. Sale Price.....12 1/2c each.

8-4 (72 In.) Unbleached Cotton
8-4 Pequot, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
8-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
8-4 Pequot, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.

9-4 (81 In.) Bleached Cotton
9-4 Brandon, regular price 25c yd. Sale Price.....22 1/2c yd.
9-4 Linwood, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
9-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
9-4 Lockwood, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
9-4 Atlantic, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
9-4 Pequot, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
9-4 Fruit of the Loom, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.

9-4 (81 In.) Half Bleached Cotton
9-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
9-4 Pequot, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.

9-4 (81 In.) Unbleached Cotton
9-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 27 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....25c yd.
9-4 Pequot, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.

10-4 (90 In.) Bleached Cotton
10-4 Linwood, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
10-4 Lockwood, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
10-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
10-4 Atlantic, regular price 35c yd. Sale Price.....32 1/2c yd.
10-4 Pequot, regular price 35c yd. Sale Price.....32 1/2c yd.

10-4 (90 In.) Half Bleached Cotton
10-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.
10-4 Atlantic, regular price 35c yd. Sale Price.....32 1/2c yd.
10-4 Pequot, regular price 35c yd. Sale Price.....32 1/2c yd.

Pillow Cases
42x36 Salem, regular price 17c each. Sale Price.....14c each.
42x36 1/2 Salem, regular price 18c each. Sale Price.....15c each.
42x36 Salem, regular price 18c each. Sale Price.....15c each.
42x36 1/2 Salem, regular price 19c each. Sale Price.....16c each.
42x36 Pequot, regular price 22c each. Sale Price.....17c each.

72 INCH UNBLEACHED
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Reg. price 19c yd. **12 1/2c**
Sale price, yard.....

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10-4 Ladies' Choice, regular price 30c yd. Sale Price.....27 1/2c yd.
10-4 Pequot, regular price 32 1/2c yd. Sale Price.....30c yd.

Bleached Sheets
62x90 C. C., regular price 59c each. Sale Price.....47 1/2c each.
72x90 Sterling, regular price 59c each. Sale Price.....47 1/2c each.
51x90 Oxford, regular price 49c each. Sale Price.....39c each.
51x90 S. A. C., regular price 59c each. Sale Price.....47 1/2c each.
62x90 Salem, regular price 59c each. Sale Price.....47 1/2c each.
72x90 Salem, regular price 69c each. Sale Price.....59c each.
51x90 Salem, regular price 75c each. Sale Price.....65c each.
54x90 Pequot, regular price 89c each. Sale Price.....79c each.
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27 in. Black Messaline..... **75c**
36 in. Black Messaline..... **\$1.00**
36 in. Blue Messaline..... **\$1.00**

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54 in. Tan Serge—Sponged and shrunk. Rapid seller at, yard..... **\$1.25**
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Blue Serges—All sponged and shrunk..... **75c**
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All the New Shades in All Wool Imperial Serges—14 in., at..... **75c**

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FUNERALS

BOURNE—The funeral of Charles Sanford Bourne took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from his residence, 56 Fourth avenue, and was largely attended by friends and relatives. Rev. F. G. Alger officiated. A quartet consisting of Mrs. O. A. Park, Miss Cora Bartlett, E. S. Howe and C. Richardson sang "No Shadow's Yonder" and "Christians Goodnight."

Prominent among the beautiful floral offerings were: Spray from Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leinhos; wreath inscribed "Grandpa," from grandchildren; wreath, Clarence and Carrie Pope; Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Pope; spray, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Clark; spray, Fawcett Brotherhood; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith; bouquet, Bert Bolton. The bearers were D. F. Beane, E. W. Wright, A. M. Horr and W. S. Mansfield.

Burial was in the Edison cemetery, under the direction of George M. Eastman & Co., undertakers.

DEVOL—The funeral of Miss Rebecca T. Devol took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan street. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. St. John Chamber, D. D., rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. William G. Spence and Mrs. Frederick A. Leahy. The bearers were Charles B. Kendall, Arthur E. Dele, Edward W. Brigham and Charles R. Brigham. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Charles W. Eaton, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

WALSH—The funeral of Mrs. Annie F. Walsh took place this morning from her late home, 39 Carter street, at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church, where a high mass of requiem was sung at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I. The choir rendered the usual chant, and as the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." Mrs. Adelaide Muldoon presiding at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "My Wife and Mother," from family; pillow inscribed "Auntie," from Shen children; large cross from Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas and family; cross on base, from Lowell Teamsters' Union No. 117, Harvard Brewing company; large wreath from Katherine, Charlotte and Edward Walsh; wreath from Misses Annie and Julia Sullivan; wreath of galax leaves, Daniel J. Sullivan; wreath of galax leaves, Harry P. Harley; spray of pink and sweet, as from Miss Josephine Boyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Woessner. The bearers were: John Sullivan, William Walsh, James Conlin, Patrick Kelly,

William Fleming, and Joseph Guilely. The ushers at the house and church were Harry Farley, Daniel Sullivan and Joseph Malone. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I., reciting the committal prayers at the grave. Undertaker Peter H. Savage was in charge.

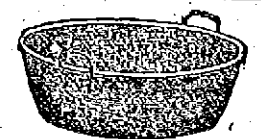
LEMIEUX—The funeral of the late Narcisse Lemieux took place this morning from his late home, 199 Hall street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The cortege proceeded to St. Jean Baptiste church where at 9 o'clock solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Gratton, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Brulard and Racette, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir rendered the usual harmonized chant under the direction of Dr. George E. Calise, Mr. Arthur J. Martel presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Eugene and Leger Marvoite, Joseph and Napoleon Soucy, Joseph Gagnon and W. Bonneau. Interment took place in the family lot at St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Gratton, O. M. I., reciting the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

KENT—The funeral of Mrs. Mary

A. Kent, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mines, 25 Manchester street, Monday, took place this morning at 7:30 and proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a high mass of requiem was sung at 8 o'clock by Fr. McDermott, O. M. I. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. The bearers were Patrick J. Mahon, Patrick Farrell, John Ryan and John Almes. Burial took place in the family lot at Quincy, Mass. Funeral Director John F. Rogers in charge.

MCCURT—The funeral of Thomas McCurt took place this morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Gallagher, 31 Ruels place, at 8:45 o'clock, and 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church, with Rev. Fr. McGuinness, celebrant, with Rev. Fr. Deacon, and Rev. Fr. O'Brien, sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. J. W. McKennedy played the organ. The bearers were Messrs. James Campbell, Patrick Kinnam, William Butler, Patrick Crowe, James McCann and Felix Donnelly. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McGuinness read the final prayers. Friends were present from New York City and Penhous, Mass. Undertaker John J. O'Connell had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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The board of trade has worked hard to secure the great industry that has been prospecting in this vicinity and whose location even close to Lowell will be a great benefit to our city.

We notice that the first day of the superior court session in Lawrence opened Monday, was devoted to naturalization, 121 names being acted upon. Why can we not have similar privileges in Lowell?

It is too bad that we did not know before that Wellesley college wanted cats for dissection as a great number have been sent to the "gas box" during the past two years, there to be asphyxiated. When the season for collecting the dog tax comes, the number of canines is occasionally very large as every police officer is instructed to bring in every dog found on the streets without a collar. The felines introduced to the box are not so numerous, but in the course of a year there would probably be one for every girl at Wellesley, with a lot of kittens thrown in.

OUR EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS

There is a very important educational question before the city council and school board for settlement just at present. It is that of establishing an industrial school and adding to the present high school which is overcrowded.

We are behind most of the other cities of the state in the matter of industrial education and if we are to build a new high school, it might be good policy to devote part of the building to the industrial work. What the industrial school is intended to provide is a course suitable for boys after leaving the grammar school or at the age of fourteen if deemed desirable. There would be instruction in trades concurrently with courses in various branches necessary to intelligent work in the trades taken up. The industrial school does not need to be an expensive building. The Lawrence school is scattered in a number of different buildings, none of which is expensive. The same might be done here, but the addition proposed to the high school would be quite expensive, in fact, needlessly expensive for industrial work.

It would be well, however, for the city council and school board to co-operate so that both problems may be properly solved at the same time. The state board of education has been called in and Commissioner Sneedon has stated that the board will give it due consideration in the near future. The board is always ready to advise and to assist municipal bodies in planning for industrial schools and under the law the state will pay half the expense of maintaining such a school when once established. Any industrial school to meet the needs of the people should provide a course suitable for boys leaving the grammar school and one suitable for the boys who have gone to work in the mills, but who could give part of their time day or evening to study in the industrial school. In this way, both schools being free to residents, the best results would be attained.

But before any new high school be erected the whole situation should be carefully considered so that the educational needs of the city, both for high and industrial schools, may be properly met and that we may build for the future as well as the present.

CHILDREN ON THE STAGE

There was a notable demonstration in New York last week under the auspices of the National Alliance for the protection of stage children, when at one performance at the Metropolitan Opera House the sum of \$15,000 was raised. The occasion was signalized by the presence of Augustus Thomas, who made a speech protesting against the law in Massachusetts, Illinois and Louisiana, prohibiting the appearance of children on the stage at night, on the ground that they should not work at night.

Judge Lindsay of the juvenile court of Denver also made a speech endorsing the movement for more freedom in allowing children to appear in dramatic performances at an early age. It was very forcibly shown that the laws which place stage children in the same class with factory operatives and forbid them working at night, are unjust to the children who might appear on the stage, and unjust to theatrical companies who need the children. As a result of the law in Massachusetts and some other states, plays that require children in the cast are not presented, but have to go elsewhere for their patronage.

The law in New York provides that when children appear in such performances they are placed under the care of the Gervy Society so that their moral and physical welfare is thus amply safeguarded not only by the parental obligations imposed but by the vigilance of the society. Similar arrangements could be made in other states so that there would be no prohibition of children appearing at night under proper conditions.

The absurdity of classing such children with those who work in the shops and factories was clearly exposed. It was shown that children who appear on the stage perform no manual labor and that during the day they are usually idle with the exception of the time that they spend in preparation of their parts. The parts taken by children are usually very light, and require only their appearance for a few moments, which are enjoyed by the children fully as much as by the audience.

It has further been urged that many of the famous actors of history made their appearance on the stage in their early childhood, and that if any legal bar be set up against this practice, it may prevent the development of dramatic genius ultimately affecting the standard of our dramatic performances. There is no question whatever as to the feasibility of children appearing on the stage with perfect safety in every sense, especially in stock companies that remain in one place for a lengthy period. Of course, where companies go on the road and play one night stands, it would be almost a cruelty to take along a young child because it could not get the treatment it would require, and we believe that if there be any restriction placed upon children appearing upon the stage it should be in this particular case alone.

SEEN AND HEARD

If it didn't rain in the country now and then, how in the world would the farmer ever find time to do his indoor work?

A woman is as old as she looks, unless she is a burlesque artist. Then she is older.

The height of folly—ten thousand feet in an aeroplane.

A woman looks up to the man who can dominate her, and generally manages him so that he does exactly as she likes, without his having the least suspicion of it.

Imagine a woman with a new hat and gown going late to church and slipping quietly into a back seat!

A taste for olives can be acquired, of course, but if you cultivate a taste for olives in the members of your own family, you yourself won't get so many olives.

If a man is bald, it doesn't distract attention from his baldness much for him to grow long whiskers.

When a fellow goes to dinner, hoping, praying to be free from the tangle of the moment, he is pretty sure to see four or five distinguished gentlemen talking reciprocity.

And when he goes to supper, hoping, praying to be free, he finds the bunch still prating about reciprocity. Some standing up for Uncle Sam and some for Canada.

SUCCESS

What is success? The man who wins is he who puts his purpose through; who fulfills what he begins. As at the first he meant to do, it may not mean that brilliant fame or reputation he has won. The world may never know his name, or even note the thing he's done.

But that's success—to carry through. The purpose as it first was planned; to do the thing we meant to do. Though maybe not with skillful hand, we see examples all the time. Of this, for instance, here is one: I started out to write this rhyme. And here, you see, it is all done! Somerville Journal.

OLD TROUBLES

When you're feeling fine and splendid and you own a cloudless sky, when your troubles all are ended, and you have no cause to sigh, do you ever sit and ponder o'er the worries you have had, when you're drifting 'way off yonder, all the things that made you sad? Do you ever count them over, just to see what worried you, ere you found yourself in clover? It's a splendid thing to do.

Call them back for calm reflection, look them over, one and all, here is one that caused dejection, and today it seems so small. Just a while ago you worried over this one, and you yowled. As upon your way you hurried that you toiled beneath a cloud. But today that cloud has faded, and you yonder—yes, you do. Now that you have seized and weighed it—how it ever made you blue.

You can laugh at them this morning, here is one that made you fret, then you thought, each day was dawning on a lifetime of regret; and you let this trifling sorrow weigh you down and make you sad, and you dreaded the tomorrow, as a fearful thing and bad. Look it over, this the trouble that drove all your smiles away. It's no bigger than a bubble, yet it worried you one day.

There's a lesson in the worries of the past we ought to learn, in the little griefs and furies, if to them we'll only turn. For when our sun is shining, if we'll look them over then, we're ashamed of our repining, and if trouble comes again, we can still retain our laughter, still go forward with a smile. To the good times that come after and the joys that are worth while. Detroit Free Press.

What are you going to do now with the money that you saved last fall by not buying a fur overcoat? Comparatively few Americans can

A MYSTERY SOLVED

For years medical men have been seeking a cure for eczema, the most common and most stubborn of skin diseases. Some said it was a blood disease; some said it was the result of indigestion. It remained for one studious chemist to settle beyond any question that eczema in many forms is a skin disease and related in no way to a disordered condition of the blood. This same chemist, experimenting with many antiseptic, healing and soothing agents, but it was not until he formed the compound Cadum that he at last realized he had given to the world something that would bring relief or cure to the hundreds of sufferers. Cadum ranks today with the great discoveries of the medical world. Its action is so positive that the itching of eczema is stopped at once. People who have itched and scratched for years find sleep and rest soon after Cadum is applied. Cadum is sold by all druggists at the price of 25c a box. It is for eczema in all its forms, also for pimples, blotches, itch, scabies, skin eruptions, chafings, psoriasis, rash, sores, scurvy, scabs, itching piles.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

Dr. Campbell Morgan has been nominated for the chairmanship of the Congregational union of England. Miss Mary Moncrieff, a Scottish spinster, elderly and not good looking, was attending a dinner party at Perth, at which the late Thomas Duncan, a government official, was a guest. He was in expansive humor and said: "Now, Miss Mary, I'll give you a toast—'Honest men and bonnie lasses'." "I can drink that without any compunction," replied Miss Moncrieff, "for it applies to neither you nor me."

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, the well known author and neurologist recently celebrated his eighty-first birthday. The anniversary was marked by a dinner at his home in Philadelphia, attended by all the members of his family. Barring a slight deafness, he is in good health, and gives time daily to the practice of his profession. The Young Men's Christian association at Stuttgart, Germany, has a great association house which cost 1,400,000 marks. It has 2345 active members and more than 1000 passive members. Fifty-eight family evenings (gatherings to which members' families were invited), 355 lectures, 51 music evenings, 38 foreign mission meetings, 32 debates, 53 garden gatherings, very many Bible classes, 10 song choirs, five orchestral groups, six brass bands, five Sunday schools, with 1200 children illustrate its activity. In the year past 300,000 papers and tracts have been distributed by members, social gatherings have been held for hotel employees, police, street car men. There are sections for makers, gardeners, soldiers, technical students. Numerous educational courses and gymnastic courses are carried on and summer excursions arranged for. Four hundred guests are served at its restaurant daily and its 50 chambers constantly occupied. It has six secretaries and a chief secretary. Its monthly paper has a circulation of 5500 copies.

In York county, Pa., are two brothers who aspire to the office of sheriff. One is seeking the republican nomination and the other the democratic. Edward, the democrat, is a prominent church worker, while Julius, the republican, is a wholesale liquor dealer and beer bottler.

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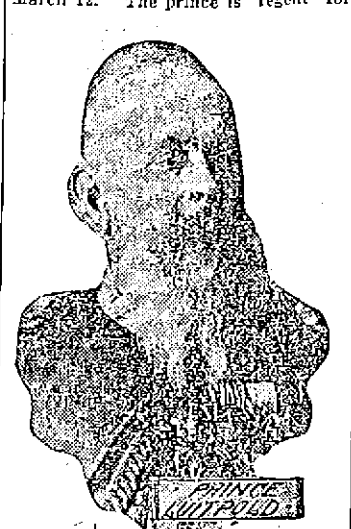
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PRINCE LUITPOLD

Is the Oldest European Ruler

NUREMBERG, Bavaria, March 8.—Prince Luitpold, the regent of Bavaria, who is the oldest monarch in Europe, celebrates his ninetieth birthday today, March 12. The prince is regent for



his nephew, the insane King Otto. The prince regent is very popular with the general public, and it will celebrate his ninetieth birthday by holding dances and festivals.

NOT A CANDIDATE

Bryan Will Not Run for President

BOSTON, March 8.—Declaring that it was a greater pleasure than being president to sit back and see the reforms he had advocated for years being adopted by the west, more slowly accepted by the east and publicly supported and proclaimed by President Roosevelt and Taft, William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska last night spoke for two and a half hours in Ford hall. His audience consisted of a thousand members of the Boston city club, including leading business and professional men of the city.

Mr. Bryan argued for the Canadian reciprocity measure, declaring that it would mean the end of the republican party and reciprocity principles if the measure was not finally adopted. The recall, the initiative and referendum were then taken up in order and the effect of the application of these principles in western centers was described and their adoption by eastern states advocated. The popular election of United States senators also received a share of Mr. Bryan's attention.

In closing, Mr. Bryan said that he would not again be a candidate for the presidency. Gov. Foss presided at the meeting and introduced Mr. Bryan.

MAJORITY OF ONE

For No-License at Barre, Vermont

MONTEPELIER, Vt., March 8.—Concluded the license election, were the chief features of the annual elections in Vermont cities yesterday. Montpelier was the only one to make a change from last year. Montpelier, which had been no-license for three years, swung over into the license column by a margin of 11 votes.

In Barre two counts of the ballot were necessary before it was decided that the city remained no-license by a majority of one. In Montpelier, Smith Ballard, republican, was elected mayor without opposition and the city voted to establish a paid fire department.

Robert Roberts who served two terms as mayor of Burlington some years ago, went into office again yesterday by a margin of 346 votes over the present incumbent, James E. Burke. Mr. Roberts ran on the citizens' ticket while Burke ran as a democrat. The latter has been a candidate for the office nine times and has been elected five times. The license majority in Burlington was considerably increased.

In Rutland G. B. Underhill, who had already made five unsuccessful attempts to reach the mayor's chair, was elected by a successful opponent this time being P. W. Clement, the citizens' candidate. The license majority, which last year was very small, was this year the largest in the history of the city.

St. Albans continued in the license column by an increased majority and also in Green, republican, was elected mayor.

The number of licensed cities and towns will be approximately the same as the past year when there were 23.

BURNED TO DEATH

WOMEN WERE TRAPPED IN THEIR HOME

LEWISTON, Me., March 8.—Trapped in their own home by a fire which had gained great headway before they were awakened, Estelle Townsend 31, and her niece, Eleanor Ann Townsend, 67, who lived together at East Sumner, a remote town in Oxford county, were burned to death Sunday night. News of the affair reached here yesterday.

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From Tweeddale on the river Tweed, are ideal auto garments. Long, loose, boxy coats, made with silk shoulders, cravenetted so they'll shed water—these coats are new, not only new in Lowell, but new in America—oxford grays and tans. \$32

Spring Overcoats of handsome Oxford grays and gray twills in soft wool goods—quiet, gentlemanly garments. \$15 to \$22

Spring Overcoats of dignified black Thibets—black that will hold the color under the strongest sun—all with silk sleeves, some silk lined and faced to the edge. \$10 to \$30

Fancy Spring Overcoatings, cravenetted coats and textures that are waterproofed \$10 to \$25

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GLIDDEN TOUR

To be Prince Henry of America

Another tour for the Glidden trophy with new features enough to make it utterly unlike any previous excursion for the much contested vase is promised if the plans being made by A. R. Pardington go through. Not only is it assured that the Glidden of 1911 will be the greatest in point of numbers that ever has been held but it will be considerably shorter. And besides the contesting cars very probably there will be a number of other machines, just touring along "to see what a Glidden tour is like," so that very likely there will be nothing short of sixty cars making the run.

Furthermore, if the plans are followed out, the run from Washington to Ottawa will have six days of touring and one of hill climbing contests, and the journey will be chartered so that it will cover only 1200 miles, of which 90 per cent will be first road. This tour will go from Washington to Baltimore and then to Philadelphia, striking east through New Jersey and then up to New York. From New York it will go up the Hudson into Canada, not with the detour to the New England states it was at first thought the tour would follow.

The Manufacturers' Contest Association, or rather those members of it who want a Glidden tour and will compete in it, believe that because of the peculiarly opposite moment for this state-dominion tour members either of the signal or engineering corps of the United States army should be appointed as observers. With this object in view and also to learn some other things, Mr. Pardington will go soon to Washington.

With federal and dominion sanction for the tour, it will come nearer to being called the Reciprocity Run than the Glidden tour. The manufacturers believe it is the psychological moment for such an international event and they are sure it will be a success if the plans carry through. But one point appears to be settled and that is there will be another Glidden tour, greater than ever before and designed to be over in less time than ever previously. As a distinct feature it will be held over good roads, to which probably not many will object, although perhaps the Spartans will say that a tour of this sort isn't a test worthy the traditions of the Glidden.

Another feature of the Glidden tour this year, it is explained, will be that the pathfinder, the pace-maker and the pilot cars will not be provided by any company. They will all be privately owned machines and already

have been pledged for those purposes. The Glidden of 1911 is to be the Prince Henry tour of America. ABRAHAM RUEF, FORMER POLITICAL LEADER GOES TO PRISON. SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Having exhausted every legal resource in a three year struggle to escape the penitentiary, Abraham Ruef, former political boss of San Francisco, was taken yesterday to San Quentin prison to begin a 15-year term for bribery of supervisors during the regime of Mayor Eugene F. Schmitz.

RASH SO BAD BABY CAME NEAR DYING. Head Broke Out. Spread to Arms, Legs and Entire Body. Itched So He Would Scratch Until Blood Ran. One Box of Cuticura Ointment and Nearly One Cake of Cuticura Soap Cured Him. Has Had No Return.

CITY SOLICITOR

Does Not Define "Reasonable Time" for Joint Convention

He Leaves the Question to the City Council — Three Grand Jurors Selected for the March Session of the U. S. District Court

City Solicitor Dunnean's opinion as to what constitutes a "reasonable time" for the holding of a joint convention was read at the regular meeting of the board of aldermen held last night. The opinion was about as vague as the order that called for it, but in view of the fact that the dodgers in the lower board are republicans and the city solicitor a republican the latter used the soft pedal and took occasion to remark that some years ago a joint convention was held in the month of August.

Quite a list of routine business was transacted at the meeting. Chairman Gallagher called to order at 8:25 o'clock. All members were present. A hearing on the petition of the Lowell Electric company for a pole location in Princeton street, opposite Edison street, was read and referred to the committee on wires.

Notices of personal injury were read and referred to the committee on claims.

A communication from no less a personage than the president of the United States was read. The communication had to do with the drawing of three grand jurors for the March session of the district court of the United States to be held in Boston. The chair called upon Alderman Flanagan to draw three names from the box and the following were drawn: Isadore Ethier, 57 Hall street, laborer.

Joseph Carrier, 2 Dracut street, clerk. Shepard W. Shaw, 14 D street, salesman.

A communication from the state board of education concerning the receipt of a communication from the city council relative to the establishment of an industrial school in this city was read and ordered on file in the city clerk's office.

A petition to accept Jewell street from Reservoir street to First street, was referred to the committee on streets.

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A petition to accept Glenwood street was referred to the street committee.

A petition to accept Statham and Deerfield streets to Smith and Brooks streets was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition to macadamize Dalton street from Lily avenue to Euclid street was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition to accept Hazel street was referred to the committee on streets.

The monthly report of the board of

Health was read and ordered on file.

A petition for the laying of a sewer in Glenwood street from the proposed sewer in Butman road was referred to the committee on sewers.

A petition for one gas light at the corner of Cumberland road and Fisher street was referred to the committee on street lighting.

The following near opinion by the city solicitor relative to a joint convention, was read:

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell, Mass., March 7, 1911.

Gentlemen: The city clerk has transmitted to me the following vote of your honorable body:

"That the city solicitor be asked for an opinion in regard to the city council going into joint convention for the purpose of electing a city clerk and city treasurer and collector of taxes."

It is provided by section 17 of the city charter that "the city council shall annually, as soon after their organization as may be convenient, meet in convention and elect by joint ballot a city clerk and a city treasurer and collector of taxes."

I assume from your question that you desire a construction of this statute.

In my opinion, "as soon as may be convenient" is a question of fact for the board of aldermen and common council to determine among themselves, having in mind at all times the best interests of the city.

If the city's interests are jeopardized because the offices of city clerk and city treasurer are not at present legally, properly and efficiently administered then "as soon as may be convenient" means as soon as the city council can possibly get together re-convene for the election of these officers.

Should it appear, however, that, under existing conditions, the interests of the city are amply protected, then the occasion for an immediate convention is not so pressing and the council may get together within a reasonable time. Just what is a "reasonable time" I will not venture to state, as the city council should decide this question themselves.

I will say, however, that some years ago, a joint convention of the Lowell city council was held in the month of August.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) Wm. W. Dunnean,
City Solicitor.

The weighty document was ordered on file.

W. W. Richardson, Jr., of 213 Pawtucket street, petitioned for a license as a private detective. The petition was referred to the committee on licenses, Aldermen Toupin, Barrett and Connors.

The following communication from the board of railroad commissioners was read:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Board of Railroad Commissioners,
20 Beacon St., Boston.
March 2, 1911.

Mr. Girard P. Dugan,
City Clerk, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find copy of the order of the board authorizing the Boston and Northern street railway company to act as a common carrier of baggage and freight in various places, including your city.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) Charles E. Mann,
Clerk of the board.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
In Board of Railroad Commissioners,
March 2, 1911.

Petition of the Boston and Northern street railway company for authority to act as a common carrier of baggage and freight in Billerica, Burlington, Dracut, Georgetown, Groveland, Haverhill, Lowell, Methuen, Middleton, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, North Reading, Rowley, Tewksbury.

The petition has obtained authority to conduct the business of a common carrier of newspapers, baggage, express matter and freight in the following cities and towns:

Billerica, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated February 24, 1908; Burlington, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated January 4, 1908; Dracut, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated September 18, 1907; Georgetown, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated April 30, 1908; Groveland, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated April 15, 1908; Haverhill, as granted by an order of the board of aldermen dated February 6, 1908; Lowell, as granted by an order of the board of aldermen dated November 12, 1907; Methuen, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated September 21, 1907; Middleton, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated October 28, 1907; Newbury, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated April 24, 1908; Newburyport, as granted by an order of the board of aldermen dated June 1, 1908; North Andover, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated October 28, 1907; North Reading, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated September 7, 1907; Rowley, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated June 13, 1908; Tewksbury, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated November 2, 1907; West Newbury, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated April 2, 1908; Wilmington, as granted by an order of the selectmen dated June 24, 1908.

After notice and hearing, it is Ordered, that the board hereby certify that public necessity and convenience require that the Boston and Northern street railway company act as a common carrier upon the lines of railway named in the orders granting said authority, to the extent of receiving and delivering such baggage, express and freight in various places, as is usually transported by express companies, restricted to exclude explosives all articles and commodities the transportation of which may be hereafter prohibited by the board, and in the manner in which the business is conducted shall be subject to supervision and regulation by the board from time to time as the public interests may require.

Attest:
(Signed) Charles E. Mann, Clerk.

A true copy.
(Signed) Charles E. Mann, Clerk.

Alderman Connors bobbed up with an order asking the city solicitor for an opinion as to the right of the city to expect a return from the Boston and Northern street railway for the privilege to act as common carriers of baggage and freight in various places, including Lowell. Alderman Rountree seconded the motion and it was voted.

Mr. Jodoin's joint order to the effect that the park commission be asked to ascertain what portion of the Lowell fair grounds, so call, can be set apart for a public ball ground. The order was adopted.

Chairman Gallagher stated that the trustees of the Lowell Textile school had extended an invitation to the city council to visit the school. It was voted to attend in a body on Friday evening, March 10.

Mr. Connors moved adjournment and suggested that it be to next Tuesday night, March 14, in order that the common council be given a chance to go into joint convention. It was voted to adjourn at 8:30 o'clock.

MILITARY NIGHT

At the Big Automobile Show

BOSTON, March 8.—Military night last evening at the automobile show, Mechanics building and Horticultural hall, was the most successful event, as far as numbers of people go, since the opening of the show last Saturday.

Governor Eugene Noble Foss, members of his staff and thousands of commissioned officers from the regular army stationed in the state and officers from the various volunteer organizations lent a spell to the show that few visitors could resist. The result was that fully 10,000 people attended the show last night.

Hundreds of handsomely gowned women graced the occasion and showed by their intelligent questions as they threaded their way among the cars in the mammoth exhibit that is at present the talk of the town that the day has passed when automobile knowledge is the property of men only.

Many of the women were purchasers, also, of the fine business which began the day the shop opened kept up during the evening.

Motor car manufacturers, who have made the present ninth annual automobile show of the New England Automobile Dealers' association a wonderful success, feel that the great crowds attending the show mean more than a good season to the automobile industry. The veteran manufacturers say that it means that the present auto show has come at the crucial moment, when the tide of business is turning toward real prosperity. They prophesy a great business boom in the eastern part of the country, of which the automobile show is a sure indication.

The oldest automobile experts say that the conditions at the auto show indicate a marvelous business awakening which is due to come in every business. Optimism in business and the return of confidence in commercial credit they say is in part responsible for this.

There are 25,000 tons of freight moved every day in Boston, according to Haydon Eames, general manager of the Garford company. "This shows the possibilities of the motor truck," said Mr. Eames. "There is the greatest future in store for it."

The position of the company I represent is to develop this product. We have been making chassis for seven years, being the first company in the country to copy a French car. We have a standard product.

The motor truck was as economical ten years ago as it is today. This seems incredible but it is really so. The trouble was people didn't understand how to operate to get the best results. I predict that there will be a wonderful development of the motor truck in the next four years.

The motor truck and commercial car exhibit at the present auto show seems to prove Manager Eames' statement. There are 37 different makes of these cars, gas and electric. They appeal to the business men who are attending the show, and many sales are being made at Mechanics building and Horticultural hall, where the variety of car is being shown.

LOSS IS \$5000

Fire Caused by Defective Wiring

BOSTON, March 8.—Patrolman Maurice Driscoll of the Court square station was standing at Franklin and Arch streets at 10:10 o'clock last evening when a heavy explosion in the five-story building at that spot gave notice of a fire within. As the flames burst out, Driscoll ran to box 45 on Federal street and pulled an alarm.

A brisk fire in the basement poured

out great volumes of smoke.

The building is numbered 73 and 74 Franklin street and 47 Arch street. The Hotel and Railroad News company occupies the building on the street and basement floors at 74 Franklin street, corner of Arch. Brown's news agency occupies that part of the building having an entrance at 47 Arch street.

The fire originated in the basement on the Arch street side, caused, it was thought, by defective electric wires. The heat explosion blew out the windows.

Chief Mullin and Deputy Chief Grady were soon on hand. Grady went into the basement with a detail of men. All the windows and fire shutters were opened. A detail of firemen worked in the rear in Hawley place and within an hour the fire was extinguished.

The loss to the furnishings and stock in the basement is estimated to be within \$5000.

RIB FRACTURED

William Brown Fell from Ladder

William Brown employed as foreman at the Lowell Shoe Co., in Stackpole street met with a serious accident this morning while at his work.

Brown was engaged at some kind of work and was standing on a stop ladder about 7:37 o'clock this morning, when he suddenly lost his balance and fell on the floor. The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where it was found that he was suffering from a fractured rib. His home is at 147 Fayette street.

EX-BOSS RUEF

Has His Face Set to Future

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Abe Ruef, former boss of San Francisco, on his way to state prison yesterday under a sentence of 11 years, declared that his face was set to the future and his back "resolutely to the past."

His statement in part follows:

"I do not, by any means, underestimate the horror and hardship before me. Yet I am confident that my spirit can rise above any situation which may confront me. Whatever I am set to do I will do cheerfully and to the best of my ability. My face will be to the future and my back resolutely to the past. Whether the time be short or long, if I survive with health and entreaties broken, when I am through I will return to San Francisco. I will not run away from the past and I am certain that at any rate there will still be before me a life of credit and honor. My conscience is clear. I have been unfairly dealt with and in the end this will be conclusively proven."

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

The following Lowell and nearby people will receive Regal cars this month: J. P. Foster, C. P. Chase and John Robbins of Lowell, Dr. Edward Clark of Andover, Edward Wright of Chelmsford and John Marshall of South Billerica. These were all sold through the Bridge Street garage. There are prospects of many more orders during the next few weeks. This car is popular in price and economical in maintenance.

COMMERCIAL CONGRESS

ATLANTA, Ga., March 8.—Two thousand business men from the south had arrived here this morning when the opening session of the Commercial Congress was called together by President John Parker of New Orleans. At the meeting were northern business men who had come to this meeting to hear of the progress the south has made "since the war."

Among the northern visitors will be President Taft, Theodore Roosevelt and several cabinet officers.

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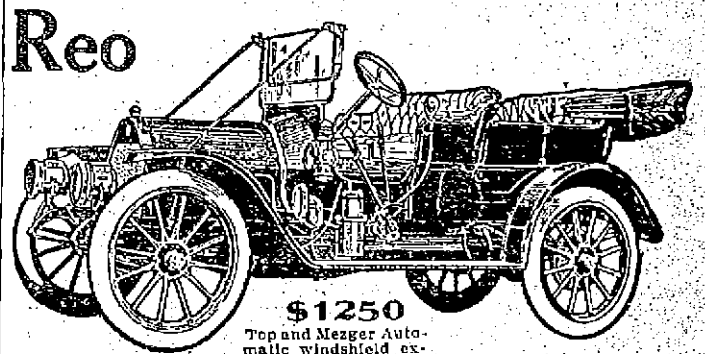
At Universalist Church Conference

The Merrimack Valley conference of Universalist churches opened in the First Universalist church in Hurd street this forenoon. The Merrimack valley conference includes Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua and Methuen.

president of the conference, presided and the speaker of the forenoon was Rev. Charles Conklin, D. D., of Boston. The afternoon speakers were Rev. A. W. Carr of South Framingham, and Rev. W. H. Morrison of Nashua. Mr. Carr gave a very interesting talk on the boy scout movement and Mr. Morrison spoke on the "Charity Patient."

Rev. C. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Universalist church, was unable to remain for the conference. He went to Brockton to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Douglas, wife of ex-Governor Douglas. Mr. Fisher is a close friend of the Douglas family.

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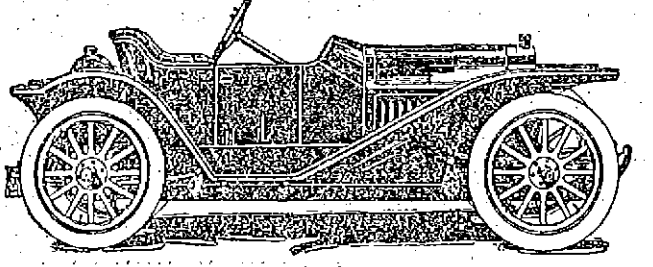
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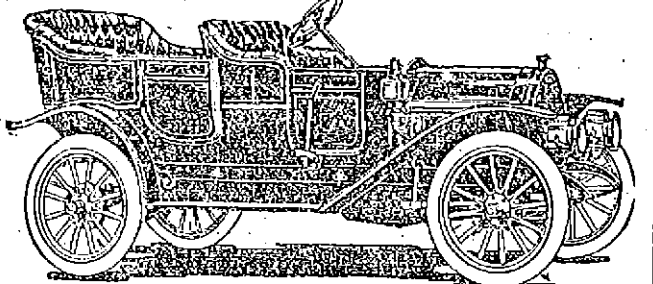
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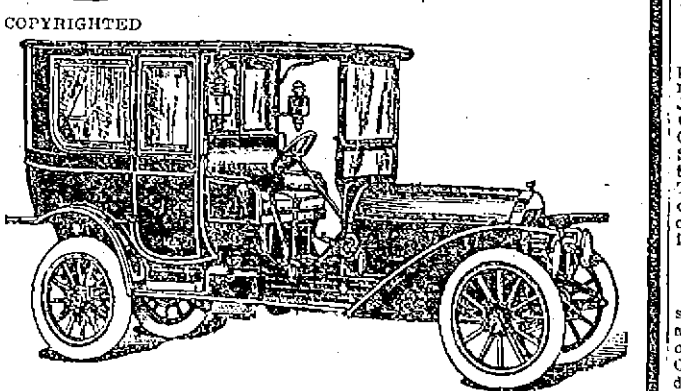
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JOSEPH ESTOFF AT MOODY SCHOOL ARMY MOVEMENT

Sues for Prayers for His Brother

SPRINGFIELD, March 8.—Charges of \$313 for prayers for the principal items scheduled in a suit filed in the Hampden County superior court yesterday by Joseph Estoff of Buffalo, N. Y., against Edwin C. Gardner, executor of the estate of Harris Goodman of Springfield, who died about a year ago. Estoff is a brother of the late Mr. Goodman, the Springfield man having changed his name from Estoff to Goodman when he began business in this city.

The bill for prayers is divided into two sections. In one place Estoff claims \$13 for prayers for the dying, offered by him when Harris Goodman was up on his death bed. In addition Estoff asks the court to award him \$300 for repeating daily in a synagogue the "kaddish," or prayers for the repose of Goodman's soul. This item in the bill specifies daily prayers for fifty weeks at \$6 per week.

Estoff's total claim against his brother's estate is \$313. He charges \$40 for two round trips between Buffalo and Springfield, \$50 for his expenses in living in this city for five weeks, and \$150 on account of loss sustained by himself as a result of neglecting his own business by reason of his bill for his illness and death. From Estoff's explanation his absence from Buffalo was during one of the holy seasons of the Jewish religion, when business at his book store in Buffalo was unusually brisk.

14 NEW NAMES

Added to Board of Trade Membership Roll

The membership committee of the board of trade held its regular weekly dinner and business meeting at the New American hotel today. Chairman Walter Guyette presiding. The committee reported 14 new members gathered into the fold. The new members are: Dr. Robert E. Bell, Frank A. Hardy, Charles H. Smith, Thomas F. Fee, Frank L. Peabody, Dr. M. J. Meagher, C. W. Parsons, J. E. Lytle, D. J. Garland, Patrick W. Klerman, A. Montminy, Charles J. Veau, Frederick Barnes and George C. Hatch.

The committee will conclude its campaign at its next meeting as the annual banquet occurs on the day following. Since the new committee began its work February 1, it has added 32 names to the membership roll and hopes to make the total 100 by next week.

Movement to Beautify School Grounds

The entertainment given at the Moody school yesterday afternoon for the fund to beautify the school grounds was quite successful. The participants with a few exceptions were pupils of the school, and all did remarkably well, the large audience being well pleased with the various numbers.

The violin selections by the Masters Whidden, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Whidden, were highly enjoyed, while the singing of Miss Dorothy Hurd, Miss Eveleth, Miss Kelly, and Messrs. Whipple and Johnson was liberally applauded. The violin selections by Edward Hiron were in a class by themselves as he is a wonder on the violin. He was enthusiastically cheered and responded gracefully. His brother, Emil Hiron, played the piano accompaniments with artistic skill. Both young men are teachers of their respective instruments. The entertainment netted a goodly sum for the fund.

The Moody school has a large yard that is capable of great development. Messrs. P. F. Sullivan, Chas. S. Lilley, J. J. Pickman, E. S. Hyman, F. C. Church, Harry Dunlap and John E. Drury have contributed eighteen trees for the school yard. The program carried out was as follows:

Mixed quartet, "Red, Red Rose," Hutton
Mrs. G. H. Spaulding, Miss May I. Eveleth, Mr. Herbert F. Whipple, Mr. Hugh Johnson.
Soprano solo, "An Open Secret," Woodman

Miss Dorothy Hurd
Soprano and contralto duet, "Carmena," Wilson

Misses Kelly and Eveleth
Trio, a "Requiem Mot," Funkh

Among the ladies, "Funks," Messrs. Whidden and Mrs. Whidden
Tenor and bass duet, "See the Palm Moon," Campana

Messrs. Whipple and Johnson
Contralto solo, "Sonnet," Buck

Miss Eveleth
Viola solo, "Hejre-Kali," Jeno Hubay

Mr. Edward Hiron
Two sopranos, duet, "Neath the Stars," Goring-Thomas

Miss Kelly and Mrs. Spaulding
Bass solo, "A Dream," Bartlett

Mr. Johnson
Ladies' quartet, "Four Little Country Maids," Linders

Misses Hurd, Kelly, Eveleth and Mrs. Spaulding

Mrs. Frank Bonneau and her three children, who arrived in this city last Friday, coming from Fruitvale, Cal., left last night for New Bedford, where they will reside.

GENERAL DUNCAN

MAKING PREPARATIONS TO RECEIVE THE TROOPS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 8.—If army officers at Fort Sam Houston have any information other than that generally told in press despatches regarding the concentration of troops on the Mexican border they are guarding it closely.

"We only know that we have been ordered to prepare for the mobilization of a large body of troops at San Antonio and are going ahead, regardless of what it means," explained General Duncan, commanding the department of Texas.

Rumors as to the purpose of it all, however, are plentiful. General Duncan's first order after receiving his instructions from Washington was to appoint First Lieut. George Roselle of the 23d Infantry, acting aide de camp. With Lieut. Roselle H. Palmer, this gives the general two aides. Next he recalled Major W. H. Scott, his adjutant general who is in North Texas attending the funeral of his father. Other orders recalled troops on detached service. Field day exercises set for today were called off and officers who were to exhibit their horses in the Texas horse show circuit have cancelled their engagements.

Preparations for the reception of the troops continued through last night and today are nearing completion.

700 MARINES TO SAIL ON THE PHILADELPHIA THIS AFTERNOON

PHILADELPHIA, Mar 8.—Seven hundred marines, fully equipped for any service, will sail south from the Philadelphia navy yard late this afternoon on the transport Purdie and will be followed by a like number tomorrow on the transport Dixie. The order from Washington ordering the marines to mobilize in this city gives the designation of the two transports as Guantanamo but many believe that these orders may be changed and that the marines may be landed at a Texas port and sent overland to the Mexican border to take part in the service practice soon to be inaugurated there. If the marines go to Cuba they will arrive about the time the Atlantic fleet departs from Hampton Roads for spring practice. The marines who will sail on the Dixie tomorrow are arriving here today from Norfolk, Annapolis, New York and other marine centers along the Atlantic coast. Nearly all of the detachments carried by the Purdie will be from the Philadelphia navy yard.

COL. MURRAY ORDERED TO HOLD TROOPS IN READINESS

COLUMBUS, O., March 8.—Col. C. F. Murray, commander of the Columbus barracks, one of the latest recruiting stations in the country, received orders today from the war department to hold troops in readiness to go to the Mexican border.

TROOPS DELAYED OWING TO WASHOUTS ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Owing to washouts on the coast line of the Southern Pacific railway, the Thirtieth and Eighth regiments of infantry were delayed last night in getting away for the Mexican border. The Eighth was brought to this city from Monterey and it was nearly midnight before the second section of their special got away from Oakland for the south. The Fourth provisional regiment, made up of twelve companies of

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TRIAL OF CAMORRISTS

VITERBO, Italy, March 8.—Although the trial of the camorristi will not open until Saturday, already thousands of visitors are here, drawn by the unusual event.

Several times a day the jailers test the iron bars of the windows of the medieval monastery of Gradi, where the accused, with the exception of two, are imprisoned and a strong force of carabinieri scrutinize the throngs that visit the place. The Gradi is a gloomy structure. Thirty-nine of the prisoners are confined here. The spy accuser, Abbatemaggio, and Maria Stenardo, wife of one of the alleged actual assassins of Cuocolo and his wife, are kept in San Luparo prison. More witnesses arrived today. They are being closely guarded.

THE SEATTLE ELECTION

SEATTLE, Wash., March 8.—Slow headway is being made in counting the ballots cast in yesterday's municipal election. Returns from the precincts counted up to an early hour today indicate that the proposition to issue \$500,000 bonds to construct and operate a municipal owned street railway on a north and south trunk highway was carried by an overwhelming majority. It is certain that a reform council has been elected by the new body of nine members, the so-called liberal candidates having been left hopelessly behind.

coast artillery is at Presidio, ready to march at a moment's notice.

FORT SHERIDAN SOLDIERS READY FOR THE WORK TO START

CHICAGO, March 8.—Fifteen hundred men at Fort Sheridan are waiting for the word from Washington that will send them to the Mexican border. Ever since the instruction broke out, in fact, the soldiers at the post have been held in readiness for immediate departure. No orders relative to the matter had been received early today and preparations had been maintained solely on the basis of newspaper reports, but it is stated that the whole force could be on its way south within three or four hours from the time trains were available.

One reason for the preparedness of the Fort Sheridan troops is that the Twenty-seventh infantry is the first regiment in line for foreign service.

LONDON "POLLS" IN THE DARK AS TO MEANING OF ARMY MOVEMENT

LONDON, March 8.—The mobilization of an American army at the Mexican frontier has excited great interest on the part of London politicians and commercial interests but all are still in the dark as to whether the movement is for political or purely military reasons.

The foreign office denies that the British government suggests the action taken by Washington but the officials speak in such diplomatic terms that their statements are not necessarily convincing.

There is little doubt expressed by the public and the newspapers that the political situation in Mexico caused President Taft's strong move but it is questioned whether this government had any share in the matter. So far as any extension of the power of the United States on that continent is concerned, it is doubtful if such an outcome would be popular with the British public just at this time. The lack of the future annexation of Canada has created a prejudice on this side and this prejudice is just as strong against the political expansion of the United States generally at the present time.

Dealings in American securities today indicated that the stock exchange did not consider that the general security of the country was seriously threatened. Mexican bonds remained unchanged, as did Southern Ry. shares. Mexican Ry. securities ordinarily fell 2 1/2 points, first 1/4, 1 1/2, and second 1 1/2. These have always been of a speculative character. Mexican National Ry. shares, which dropped several points recently, fell off today.

MAJOR ROLFE ORDERED TO PROCEED TO TEXAS AT ONCE

BOSTON, March 8.—Major Robert Rolfe, depot quartermaster for the United States army in New England, received orders this forenoon directing him to proceed at once to Texas and report to Major General Carter, one of the brigades in the field. Major Rolfe will leave for the south either tonight or tomorrow morning. He is a native of New Hampshire and last year was chief quartermaster during the military maneuvers at Fort Riley, Kas.

The cruiser Des Moines, which arrived a few days ago at the Boston navy yard under orders to go out of commission, was today directed by the navy department to sail for southern waters on Friday next.

ARMORED CRUISERS HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO PROCEED TO SAN PEDRO

SEATTLE, Wash., March 8.—The armored cruisers West Virginia and Maryland, now in the harbor, received orders yesterday to go to Puget Sound navy yard today to coal and then proceed to San Pedro.

NOT A HITCH IN THE MOVEMENT OF THE TROOPS

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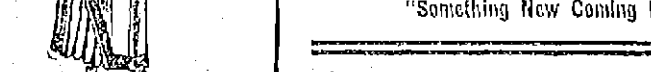
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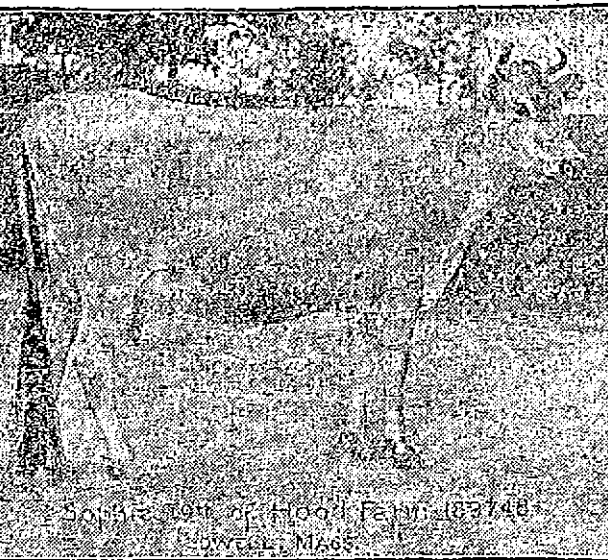
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count was kept of her feed, and her milk sold at 10c. per quart made a profit of \$565.22.

The United States Department of Agriculture's estimate in round numbers of the wealth produced each year by the 22,000,000 cows in the United States is \$800,000,000, or an average profit of \$36.36 per cow. If more attention was paid to feeding and breeding it should be easy to increase the average profit per cow to at least one-tenth of the profit made by Sophie 19th of Hood Farm, which would raise the total to \$1,240,000,000, an increase of over half a ton. An accurate ac-

THE OPERA HOUSE

One of the most fascinating of our writers is Edward White, author of "Confessor's House," the novel which forms the basis of "The Call of the North," which is being given by the Thompson-Plynn players at the Opera House this week. The local color which so frequently becomes lost through a dramatization is retained in this to a remarkable degree. One feels the almost interminable expanse of pristine woodgrowth and the hardness of life and of the men who elect to spend their days in the upper Hudson bay region. Undoubtedly there have been hundreds of stories connected with this region which have never come to light. In "The Call of the North" is one which has not escaped the wary White, and not a line of it but that comes from real life. Mr. Stanley appears to advantage as "Trent," who dared and who won. Miss Sanders is effective as Virginia Albrecht, the factor's daughter, and Miss Whitehouse as come really artistic work as "Julia Bagnard," whose father had been sent on the "frigate" "Long traverse," never to return. Mr. MacQuarrie shines as a half breed, "Achille Picard," and Messrs. Christie and Bertrand as the Scotchmen, contribute the hills of humor. Every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week this play will be given.

"THE BLUE MOUSE"

The German comedy which set all Europe laughing is "The Blue Mouse," an English translation of which by the late Clyde Fitch will be given by the Opera House next week. "The Blue Mouse" is well spoken, although it is essentially a comedy. It is a harmless spicing and it abounds in situations which will convulse. Tickets for this play can now be obtained at the box office.

"THE SQUAW MAN"

No play of Indian and frontier life in recent years has created half the stir of "The Squaw Man," which is in preparation for the Opera House, beginning March 13. Tickets may be ordered a week in advance for this production.

"THE PRINCE OF PILSEN"

The pretty melodies of "The Prince of Pilsen," which will be sung by a competent Savoy company, at the Opera House, March 15, seem to have a quality of never wearing out. The famous Heidelberg song, "The Tale of a Sea Shell," and the "Song of the Cities" are a few of them. Jess Dandy, who has played the part of "Hans Wagner," the brewer, will be seen again here. Others in the cast will be Edwin Mora, Ivor Anderson, Walter Catlett, Robert O'Connor, Frances Cameron, Dorothy Delmore, Vera Stanley, Lillian Lawson, Olive North and Wallace Berry. A prime Savoy chorus and orchestra will be adjuncts of the production.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Theatregoers who saw "St. Elmo," at this popular little playhouse last night, understand why this comedy drama has broken records wherever it has been played. This dramatization of Augusta Evans Wilson's novel has been one of the most popular attractions on the road this season, and those who witnessed the performance will agree that it contains all the elements of an attractive play. Humor fills every scene and act of "St. Elmo," its scenes are laid in Tennessee, but its characters are such as we may meet everywhere, and Mr. Stevin, the dramatist, does not hesitate to place them in the most ludicrous situations, and to put into their mouths the most ludicrously funny speeches. "St. Elmo" is a play of purpose and power presented by a well balanced cast that is collectively and individually capable, and it is mounted with brilliancy and accuracy.

Savory DeDeys as St. Elmo, plays in the best style, and as usual scores a great success. He has never been seen in any play to better advantage than in the present weeks offering. As Edna Marie, a poor little wif, Miss Estelle is seen in one of her best parts. Her scenes are laid in Tennessee, but its characters are such as we may meet everywhere, and Mr. Stevin, the dramatist, does not hesitate to place them in the most ludicrous situations, and to put into their mouths the most ludicrously funny speeches. "St. Elmo" is a play of purpose and power presented by a well balanced cast that is collectively and individually capable, and it is mounted with brilliancy and accuracy.

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count was kept of her feed, and her milk sold at 10c. per quart made a profit of \$565.22.

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LOCAL NEWS

Commercial printer, Tobin's. Try Lawler's for Printing 29 Prescott Head & Shaw, milliners, 36 John St.

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Peter McGowan of Wamsit court.

Miss M. L. McLaughlin of the Gown shop, Central block, is in New York attending the spring openings.

Charles E. Keyes has returned from Hot Springs and is feeling fine and dandy.

A son, named Leroy Brown Stapleford, was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Stapleford of Littleton, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Benjamin Babb of Lawrence, and her daughter, Miss Florence, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund P. Brooks, of Epping street.

A daughter who has been named Celanire Marguerite was born March 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Deschamps of Fall River, the latter was formerly Miss Celanire Barry of this city.

John McKinley, of the Cook & Taylor dry goods store in Merrimack street and John Smith of the Central street store are in New York looking over the spring styles.

Mr. Terence McDonald, the popular and genial foreman of the John F. Saunders market in Gortham street, is wearing the smile of satisfaction and passing around the cigars, for a young son arrived at his home Sunday.

Mr. Wm. W. Richardson, who for some time past has been manager of one of the Specialty Grocery stores of the Direct Importing company, Inc., 115 Merrimack street, has severed his connection with the company, having other plans in view, which he expects will be to his advantage.

Ireland; its songs and story, will be the subject treated at the second annual lecture and concert of Division 1, A. O. H., which will be held on Sunday evening in Associate hall, Hon. Thomas P. Riley of Madison will be the speaker, and he will take as his theme "Ireland's Fight for Home Rule." Mr. Riley was heard last year and deeply impressed his hearers with the masterful way he handled the subject given him. He has given much study to the history of Ireland, particularly to its rebellions, and is as well versed in its history as any other student of its history in the state. Mr. Riley has studied this subject for several evenings most exhaustively and promises to acquaint those who attend with movements of Irish history which have never before been touched. In addition to Mr. Riley's talk the committee on arrangements for the concert has arranged a program of local talent, to specialize on Irish music, among whom are the following: Beiderman quartet, Messrs. Dalton, Shon, Gookin and Courline; Misses Katharine L. Mullin and Katharine V. Hennessy. Besides the selections which will be given by the quartet, its members will give individual solos.

HUGH JENNINGS

WAS OBLIGED TO UNDERGO AN OPERATION

MONROE, La., March 8.—A specialist today performed an operation on Manager Hugh Jennings of the Detroit Americans to remove a foreign growth in his ear. The growth affected Jennings' throat, according to a diagnosis of the specialist. His voice had been growing husky and, was thought might prevent his characteristic coaching.

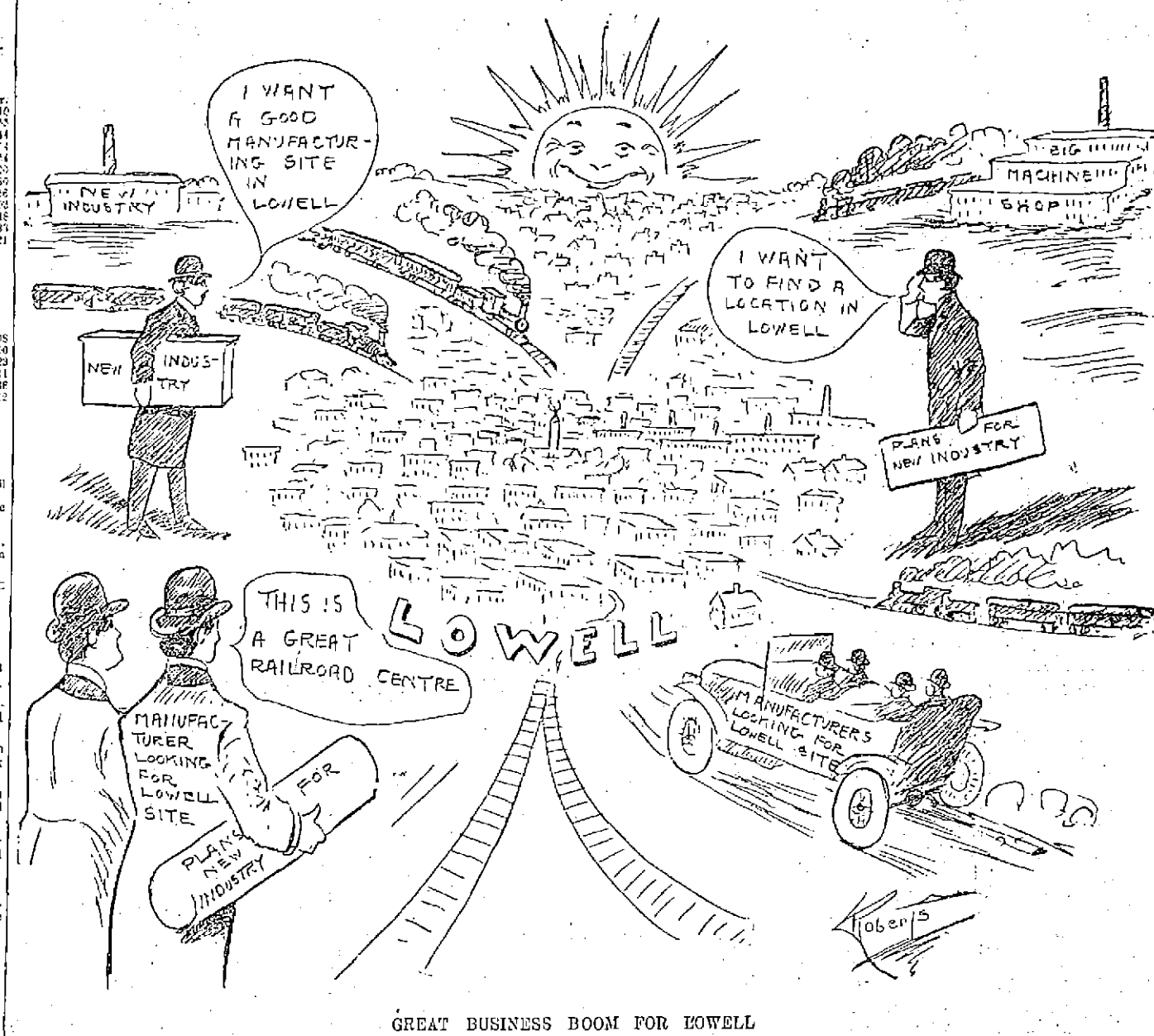
"By Comparison Shall Ye Know Us"

Welcome Warm Weather. We were wishing Winter would wane, weren't we?

Wax Taper.....box	5c
Witch Hazel.....pt.	15c
Wheat Starch.....lb.	10c
Waxo-Kleno.....	5c
Washing Soda.....2 lbs.	5c
Whale Oil Soap.....lb.	10c
Wood Alcohol.....pt.	12c
Wonder Tar Soap.....ck.	5c
Whiting.....lb.	3c
White Castor Oil.....pt.	17c
White Castile Soap.....ck.	10c
White Table Paper.....lb.	10c
White Shelf Paper.....lb.	10c
White Tissue Paper.....quire	10c

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FEDERAL TROOPS

Believed to Have Fine Chance to Make Attack

Insurgent Forces Weakened by Dissension — Trouble in the Rebel Camp is Between Commanders Berthold and Leyva

MEXICALI, Mexico, March 8.—With the insurgent forces in this district weakened by dissension, the federals are believed to have a far better opportunity for a successful attack than they had last week. A federal force is reported to be near Puchard, eight miles south of this city, preparing for an assault on the plain. The principal strife within the rebel camp is between Commanders Berthold and Leyva on the one hand and on the other the American socialists who joined the movement with the object of establishing a new regiment in lower California. Desertions that have followed on the American demonstration of hostility to the two leaders has reduced the little

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EXTRAORDINARY SALE

OF FANCY GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FIXTURES, HORSES, HARNESSES, WAGONS, SLEIGHS, ROBES AND BLANKETS, ON THURSDAY, MARCH 9, PROMPTLY AT 9:30 A. M. AT NO. 489 MIDDLESEX STREET, JUST ABOVE THE DEPOT.

The entire stock of fancy groceries of every description, consisting of canned goods of the very best brand, a large lot of baker's flour in 85 lb. bags, together with a large lot of provisions of every kind and description. Also the fixtures of the very latest design, consisting of one new large meat refrigerator of the very latest design which recently cost \$250.00; one elegant butter cooler which cost \$150.00; one nice computing scale of the very latest design, which also recently cost \$125.00; one of the very latest electric meat and bone grinders which cost \$200.00; also glass meat cases, meat blocks, meat tables of the latest design, meat tools of every description, meat scales, one first class truck scale with all the attachments, one new cash register, one office roll-top desk, and other fixtures too numerous to mention.

Promptly at 2 p. m. on the above date I shall sell namely: 3 first class horses used in delivery business of the above named, 2 first class delivery grocery wagons, nearly new; 1 rubber tired Concord wagon, 2 medium heavy harnesses, 2 light delivery pumps, 1 heavy delivery pump, 1 driving sleigh together with the robes, blankets and lot of miscellaneous articles.

The above goods will be sold without limit or reserve promptly at the above time and date rain or shine as the owner is about to leave Lowell for Los Angeles, Cal.

Terms: Cash. Make all inquiries of the auctioneer, who has full charge.

force from 200 to less than a hundred men.

News was received yesterday of drastic measures taken by Simon Berthold to curb the activities of the American malcontents.

Upon hearing on Saturday that the Americans who outnumbered the Mexicans had voted to depose Leyva, Berthold sounded a call to arms while the successists were at mass in the bull pen. He had previously secreted the arms with which the Americans had started. When the Americans answered the call they found themselves facing the guns of Leyva adherents. "Any man who says he is a friend of Stanley will get shot," Berthold announced menacingly.

Captain Stanley, the leader of the Americans, was arrested, and after spending two nights in prison, was told to cross the boundary and not return on pain of death. Stanley, who served nine years in the Philippines, says he will join Madero's forces.

Jose Cardosa, who was chosen by the Americans to succeed Leyva, has deserted with 40 followers. He rode southward yesterday, saying he would join the rebels in Sonora.

Berthold declares that his army will soon be augmented by the arrival of six hundred men now being organized in Los Angeles.

E. E. Bivins, manager of a livestock ranch, a subsidiary to the Mexican Land & Cattle Co., appeared at the bull pen yesterday and demanded the return of a number of horses taken by the rebels. The demand was supported by a note from Captain Babcock, commanding the United States cavalry at Calexico. Berthold turned over the animals, saying: "All these horses and thousands more will soon come back. We expect to take all the land and livestock from you nabobs of capitalism."

THE JUNTA

TO ESTABLISH HEADQUARTERS AT EL PASO

EL PASO, Texas, March 8.—Local members of the revolutionary junta here announce that El Paso has been made the revolutionary headquarters for the entire United States. In the insurgent cause and that all future operations will be directed from this city. This is construed to mean that Madero intends to confine his present operations to northern Chihuahua exclusively.

POLICE OFFICER

Sued by a Girl for \$5000

BOSTON, March 8.—Garritt Barry, an Arlington police officer, has been sued for \$5000 for alleged defamation of character by Miss Lillian C. Leary, 18-year-old daughter of Mrs. Nora Leary of Arlington Heights. The suit, brought by the girl's brother, Joseph A. Leary, as next friend, was filed in the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday.

The girl's attorney, Francis J. Carney, is authority for the statement that Miss Leary, whose father is dead, had words with her mother, who wanted her to attend the high school against her will. Miss Leary left home last fall to live with relatives in Boston. Later she returned to Arlington and went to work in Hurd's restaurant, near the car barna. Patrolman Barry leaves the restaurant building and sub-lets it to Hurd.

Barry entered the restaurant on divers occasions and objected to Miss Leary's presence on the ground that she would cause him to lose his lease.

She further alleges that Barry maliciously contrived to defame her and falsely and publicly charged her with a crime.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

SCHOOL "FRATS"

Mayor of Brockton Denounces Them

BROCKTON, March 8.—The high school secret society, which recently caused so much trouble in Brockton school circles, is doomed to die. Mayor H. C. Howard, as chairman of the school committee, in a statement last night, says the fraternities shall be abolished, and he will take immediate steps toward making them a thing of the past.

This decision came as a great blow to the boys. Grieved also are Miss Marion Pierce and Miss Lelia Weston, two of the most prominent girl students, and ardent rooters for the athletic teams. "I think he is just as mean as he can be," "If I could vote, you bet I would help defeat him," "What harm is there in a little private club?" "Mr. Howard is a brute to do such a thing; there are lots of other matters he might have attended to and let the 'frats' alone," the students said last night, when told of the mayor's ruling.

"High school fraternities are a nuisance to the general public and a menace to the scholars, there is absolutely no good to be derived from them whatsoever. On one recent occasion at a high school cadet dance I saw fraternity boys lavishing their parents' hard-earned money on their fair partners just to keep them in the upper set."

"Secret societies in high schools promote much hard feeling and make those who do not belong feel as if they are in a class below the frats. The quicker the thing is wiped out and cleared away the better for all hands. They have to go. I will see to it that they are dismissed from our schools. We have had enough of such trash and I intend to put a stop to such doings at once," Mayor Howard declared in his statement.



SPECIAL

March Sale

Every March we open the spring season by having a sale of Men's Suits, worth from \$12.50 to \$15.00 for \$10.00.

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RAILROAD RATE CASE

CONCORD, N. H., March 8.—Pending a thorough investigation, Louis D. Brandeis, attorney for the state in the railroad rate case, would leave matters as nearly as possible in statu quo.

Any immediate final settlement of the matter is impossible, because of the necessity for a full investigation. This was the statement of Mr. Brandeis in the course of the hearing today before the special committee of the New Hampshire legislature in response to a request by Attorney John W. Kelley of the railroad for a definite analysis of the position of counsel for the state. Witnesses today were New Hampshire manufacturers, who testified to steady reductions in commodity rates for many years and expressed a desire for a speedy settlement of the class rate question as applied to New Hampshire.

BIG BOND SALE

Negotiated by Mexican Minister

NEW YORK, March 8.—Jose Lves Limantour, Mexican minister of finance, who reached here last night from France, where he negotiated a \$50,000,000 Mexican bond sale, left this town, where it was said he would confer with several bankers. Senator Limantour was quite communicative last night, saying that Mexico needs no aid in keeping peace or protecting foreign interests within her borders, but today sent word that he could not be seen, nor would he have anything to say. He left word at the hotel office that he would not be back until late this afternoon.

Senor De La Barra, the Mexican ambassador, is due here this afternoon and will join in conference with Senator Limantour on the Mexican situation.

PASTOR CALLED

SPRINGFIELD, March 8.—The vestry of Christ Episcopal church has invited Rev. Dr. Kinsolving of Baltimore to become its rector in succession to Rev. Dr. Charles L. Slattery, who left a year ago to assume charge of Grace church, New York.

Rev. Dr. Kinsolving is rector of St. Paul's church Baltimore.

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Its Songs and Story

SECOND ANNUAL LECTURE AND CONCERT BY DIVISION 1, A. O. H.

Sunday Even'g Mar. 12

AT 8 O'CLOCK, ASSOCIATE HALL

Lecture by the

HON. THOMAS P. RILEY

of Malden on "Ireland's Fight for Home Rule," assisted by local talent.

PROGRAM:
Piano solo, "Irish Melodies".....Marte
Mr. Arthur J. Martel.....Mack
"Freedom in Ireland".....Mack
Mr. Edward P. Shea, Mr. John J. Dalton,
Wm. L. Gookin, Joseph P. Courtney,
"Killarney".....Mulla
"The Minstrel Boy".....Moore
Mr. John J. Dalton.....Moore
Lecture, "Ireland's Fight for Home Rule," by Hon. Thomas P. Riley.
"Wearing of the Green".....Lover
Mr. William L. Gookin.....Lover
"Where the River Shannon Flows".....Russell
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